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## CONTROL OF MISSOURI STATE LIFE CO. IS SOLD FOR \$14,000,000

M. E. Singleton, President  
Announces Purchase by  
Rogers Caldwell, Ten-  
nessee Banker.

150,540 OF 200,000  
SHARES INVOLVED

\$8,600,000 for Singleton  
Family's 86,000 Shares,  
—He Will Remain at  
Head of Concern.

Control of the Missouri State  
Life Insurance Co. has been sold  
for \$14,000,000 to Rogers Caldwell  
of Nashville, Tenn., an investment  
banker, who presumably repre-  
sents a syndicate. It was announced  
today by Marvin E. Singleton,  
president.

The Missouri State Co. has had  
a phenomenal growth in the last  
seven years under Singleton's direc-  
tion and has paid large dividends  
to its stockholders, virtually all of  
whom are St. Louisans.

It is said in financial circles that  
the price paid for the 150,540  
shares (out of a total of 200,000)  
which will change hands in the  
deal, is approximately \$75 per  
share, with a provision that Single-  
ton is to receive a bonus equaling  
\$25 per share on his holdings if he  
remains at the head of the corpora-  
tion for three years more.

Singleton and his two sons, Ed-  
ward C. and J. H. Singleton, both  
of whom are officers of the com-  
pany, own 4,000 shares. In addi-  
tion other stockholders owning  
64,540 shares have agreed to sell.  
They are W. Frank Carter, Charles  
L. Kemp, R. McKittick Jones, J.  
Sheppard Smith, D. D. Walker Jr.,  
Harry W. Knight, Virgil R. Rife,  
Frank O. Watts, E. D. Nims and  
others who own smaller blocks.

The present value of the stock,  
as reflected in the sale, is a far-  
flung advance from the \$10 par  
value set upon the original issue of  
100,000 shares of stock. In 1925  
a stock dividend of 100 per cent  
was declared, which increased the  
outstanding shares to 200,000.

A few years ago stock of the  
company was available for \$15 per  
share with very few sales record-  
ed. The \$8,600,000 shares held by the  
Singleton family were purchased  
over a period of seven years that  
Singleton has directed the com-  
pany at prices ranging from \$20  
to \$40 per share.

**\$8,600,000 for Singleton Stock.**  
If the Singleton family gets \$100  
a share for its holdings, as it is  
understood it will by reason of M.  
E. Singleton remaining at the head  
of the corporation for three years,  
it will receive a total of \$8,600,000.  
Singleton announced the sale in a  
prepared statement, but merely  
said the transaction involved \$14-  
000,000 and did not say the amount  
to be paid for each share. The  
transaction was handled by H. S. and  
Lee J. Wolfe, bankers, of 165  
Broadway, New York.

Negotiations have been proceed-  
ing for more than a month and  
Singleton submitted the proposed  
transaction, made to him, to other stock-  
holders who might desire to sell.  
All negotiations were based upon  
the agreement that Singleton must  
remain at the head of the company.

**Company Formed in 1892.**  
The company was organized in  
1892, but its real success dates  
from 1918, after Singleton took  
charge. Its assets are approxi-  
mately \$83,000,000 and the insur-  
ance in force is \$57,000,000. Its  
income from premiums, interest  
and other sources during 1925 was  
\$21,000,000.

It employs about 5000 agents  
throughout the United States, and  
has its general offices in its own  
building at Fifteenth and Locust  
streets.

Caldwell told a Post-Dispatch  
day that there would be no change  
in the management or personnel of  
the company. He declined to dis-  
close the exact terms of the transac-  
tion but said it was the second  
largest insurance deal in the coun-  
try, the purchase of the Equitable  
Life Insurance Co. of New York  
by J. P. Morgan & Co. having been  
the largest.

Under the terms of the contract,  
a material payment will be made  
by Caldwell on Feb. 1 to the  
Bankers' Trust Co. or the Guaranty  
Trust Co., New York, where it will  
be held in trust until all payments  
spread out over a period of three  
years, have been completed.  
Ben C. Hyde, State Insurance  
Commissioner, in St. Louis today  
said he had no knowledge of the  
sale of the company's stock.

## FAIR, WARMER TOMORROW; LOWEST TONIGHT ABOUT 24

THE TEMPERATURES.

12 a. m.	29	1 p. m.	32
3 a. m.	28	4 p. m.	35
6 a. m.	27	7 p. m.	33
9 a. m.	26	10 p. m.	30
12 m.	25	11 p. m.	28
3 p. m.	24	4 p. m.	26
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9 p. m.	26	10 p. m.	28
12 a. m.	29	1 p. m.	32

Highest yester-  
day 30 at 11:45  
p. m.; lowest, 9  
at 7:30 a. m.

Official fore-  
cast for St. Louis  
and vicinity:  
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and Thursday;  
warmer Thurs-  
day; lowest tem-  
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will be about 24.

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and south portion  
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day, increasing cloudiness and  
warmer, probably snow in extreme  
north portion.

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St. Louis: 6.1 feet at 7 a. m., a fall  
of 1.3.

## WE'RE ECONOMIZING ON SNOW

By the Associated Press.  
MONTEREY, Cal., Jan. 13.—  
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## 8 OF 105 MINERS ENTOMBED BY AN EXPLOSION SAVED

Little Hope Held Out That  
Any Other Victims of  
Blast in Oklahoma Are  
Alive.

MAJORITY OF THOSE  
IN SHAFT NEGROES

Timbers Blown 400 Feet  
From Bottom—Accum-  
ulation of Coal Dust Be-  
lieved to Be Cause.

By the Associated Press.  
WILBURTON, Ok., Jan. 13.—  
Eight of the 105 men entombed by  
an explosion in the Degram-Mc-  
Connell coal mine near here this  
morning emerged from the mine  
alive late today. All eight were  
negroes. Little hope is held that  
any of the others are alive.

About 70 of the imprisoned men  
are said to be negroes. The men,  
who were held in a small inclosure  
under 100 feet of debris in the  
main shaft, worked their way out  
to the air shaft, which was open,  
and were rescued. They told of  
seeing numbers of bodies on their  
way to the air shaft.

So strong was the explosion that  
timbers were blown from the bot-  
tom of the mine shaft.

The blast is believed to have  
been the result of an accumulation  
of coal dust in a pocket.

Rescue work being hindered  
somewhat by the blocking of the  
main passageway into the mine.  
The first rescue crew was forced  
to turn back a second time after  
they were unable to squeeze their  
way through the debris. Previous-  
ly they had turned back to don  
smaller gas masks when larger  
ones were found to be burdensome  
and in the way.

A. P. Thompson, mining engi-  
neer of Harpeth, who was here  
doing survey work for the Degram-  
McConnell Co., was among those  
entombed.

Relatives of Men Frantic.  
A frantic group of the entombed  
men's relatives gathered about the  
mine. Word of the explosion  
spread quickly and crowds of sight-  
seers from neighboring towns as-  
sembled. The shaft was roped off  
to hold back the crowds and ex-  
pedite the rescue work.

Workmen from other mines in  
the Wilburton valley went to the  
scene and volunteered their as-  
sistance in the rescue work.

The mine was being operated on  
a nonunion basis under the 1917  
Lusk scale. It is three miles west  
of town.

The shaft of the mine where the  
explosion occurred is 400 feet deep.

**TWO CONVICTS FAIL TO FLOAT  
TO FREEDOM ON CAKES OF ICE**

After 30 Minutes of Chilly Cruise  
on Missouri They Gladly  
Submit to Capture.

By the Associated Press.  
SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.  
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.—  
Floating ice on the Missouri River  
as a means of escape from the  
Missouri penitentiary was tried  
and found wanting by two St.  
Louis convicts today. After a  
chilling half hour's ride, each man  
on an ice cake, they surrendered  
and submitted to medical treat-  
ment.

The convicts are Carl Pittman,  
18 years old, and Fred Hildebrand,  
20, serving sentences for  
robbery. They procured a ladder  
in the prison foundry where they  
worked, scaled the north wall,  
dropped 18 feet, and ran about  
100 feet to the river while sentries  
subjected them to a heavy fire. At  
the river they plunged in and each  
swam to an ice cake.

Pursuers ran along the shore un-  
til the men surrendered and sub-  
mitted to being towed ashore.  
They were sent to the prison hos-  
pital and treated with stimulants  
and heavy blankets. Pittman is  
serving a 10-year term, beginning  
Nov. 25, 1924, and Hildebrand an  
eight-year term, beginning Oct. 19,  
last.

**DIAMOND IN A SWEET POTATO**

By the Associated Press.  
ALEXANDRIA, La., Jan. 13.—  
When M. W. Hammer, storekeeper  
at the Missouri Pacific Railroad  
shops, thrust a fork into a baked  
sweet potato, a diamond was dis-  
closed.

**Confesses \$100,000 Jewelry Holdup.**

By the Associated Press.  
DETROIT, Jan. 13.—John Ryan,  
held in connection with a killing  
here, has confessed, police said to-  
day, that he and three companions  
robbed the wholesale jewelry firm  
of Sobel & Kalek in Malden Lane,  
New York City, of \$100,000 worth  
of diamonds last March. Ryan re-  
fused to name his accomplices in  
the robbery. He is accused of kill-  
ing Irving Hagen of Racine, Wis.,  
whose letter refused to take a  
drink proffered by Ryan.

## \$4600-a-Year Dry Chief Who Ignored Remus' \$100,000 Bribe Offer



SAM COLLINS.

## SAYS RUSSIA IS WILLING TO SETTLE ITS OLD DEBTS

Ambassador to France Declares  
Prospects of Early Agreement  
With U. S. Are Bright.

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cago Daily News. Copyright 1926.

MOSCOW, Jan. 13.—Russia is  
willing to settle its old debts, ac-  
cording to Christian Rakovsky,  
Ambassador to Paris and a member  
of the Central Committee of the  
Russian Communist party,

speaking at Leningrad. Hope for  
reaching an early agreement on  
these debts with Great Britain and  
other nations, including the United  
States are bright, he said.

Politically America remains in  
her old position, he said, but Presi-  
dent Coolidge's recent speech was  
a step toward a rapprochement.  
The two largest concessions which  
the soviets had granted were held  
by Americans, he added.

"With Locarno sentiment pre-  
vailing France the atmosphere is  
favorable for starting negotia-  
tions," said M. Rakovsky. "Al-  
ready there has been a great  
change in France toward us. Ne-  
gotiations with France will be on  
the same broad basis as those with  
Ramsay MacDonald in England.

We agree to pay France's claim,  
but it will be necessary for France  
to consider our counter claims,  
our properties in France and our  
domestic and economic situation.  
France must help us pay by ad-  
vancing credits."

Rakovsky said the resumption  
of normal relations with Czechos-  
lovakia and Yugoslavia was im-  
minent and negotiations with Bel-  
gium were progressing.

**ROBBERS SHOT DOWN AFTER  
TAKING ALL CASH IN BANK**

Villagers of Hadley, Mich. Near  
Plint, Wound Four Holdup  
Men; Loot Recovered.

By the Associated Press.  
PLINT, Mich., Jan. 13.—Four  
men held up and robbed the bank  
at Hadley, near here, of all its cash  
resources, estimated at several  
thousand dollars, today, but were  
shot down in a running fight with  
villagers.

A customer of the bank was prob-  
ably fatally wounded, and all of  
the robbers shot.

The loot was recovered.

**SARGENT'S PICTURES SHOWN**  
600 Works of Artist on Exhibition  
London.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the  
Chicago Daily News. Copyright 1926.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—An exhibi-  
tion of 600 paintings by John Sar-  
gent was opened at the Royal  
Academy today. The exhibition is  
the biggest formal "one man show"  
ever held in England, but an ex-  
pression of homage. The paintings  
range from juvenile sketches to the  
last great portraits. Of the 600,  
about a few were painted in  
England and now are owned in  
England.

## U. R. AS REORGANIZED WILL BE CALLED P. S.

New St. Louis Public Service  
Co., Files Its Articles of  
Association.

The U. R. will become the P. S.  
when reorganization of the com-  
pany, controlling St. Louis street  
railway lines, is completed.

The St. Louis Public Service Co.,  
for which articles of association  
were filed today, is to take over  
the properties now composing the  
United Railways system, and the  
change of name will become ef-  
fective immediately after the re-  
organization plan goes into effect.

This was announced today by Stan-  
ley Clarke, counsel for the reor-  
ganization committee.

It will take a considerable time  
to put the change in effect on all  
cars, which now bear the U. R.  
monogram, and on the company's  
physical property, but the new  
name will take the place of the  
old as rapidly as possible. The  
present fare tokens, which show  
the letter U in a circle, will be  
replaced in time by a new design.

The official announcement, made  
to the purpose of incorporating the  
St. Louis Public Service Co., says  
that the reorganization committee  
has caused this company to be or-  
ganized for the purpose of operat-  
ing and carrying out the plan of reor-  
ganization and the approval of that  
plan by the Federal court, and by  
the Public Service Commission of  
the State of Missouri, and the pur-  
chase of the property at foreclos-  
ure sale as the plan provides.

**Statement of Policy.**  
"This new company will en-  
deavor to consummate the policy  
announced by the reorganization  
committee, to-wit, to supply to  
the citizens of St. Louis an up-to-  
date and modern transportation  
service at minimum cost to the con-  
sumption of its reorganization plan.  
The reorganization committee  
believes that good transportation  
and plenty of it is not only neces-  
sary to provide for the convenience  
and comfort of its patrons, but is  
a vital necessity to meet the pre-  
sent requirements of the city and  
to promote its growth.

"Though the reorganization com-  
mittee believes that it is now in a  
position to bring about the con-  
sumation of its reorganization  
plan, it further believes that no  
reorganization can accomplish its  
main object, to-wit, the furnishing  
of the best service to the public,  
unless the city of St. Louis, as the  
party most vitally concerned, pro-  
motes a modern and up-to-date  
Continued on Page 2, Column 2.

## ONE U. S. DRY CHIEF REMUS COULD NOT BUY FOR \$100,000

Sam Collins, Director in  
Kentucky District, Re-  
fused to Be Bribed Away  
From His Duty.

ALSO TURNED DOWN  
\$12,500-A-YEAR JOB

Government Salary \$4600  
—Quit When Andrews  
Made District Too Large  
for Him to Handle.

IN the published story of his  
amazing career as a bootlegger,  
George Remus told the Post-Dis-  
patch that in all his opera-  
tions he found only two pub-  
lic officials who could not be  
bribed. One was Burt Morgan, Fed-  
eral Prohibition Director of Indi-  
ana, who sent Remus and his men  
to prison, and who, in Remus'  
words, "could have had anything  
up to a quarter of a million dol-  
lars." The other was Sam Collins,  
Federal Prohibition Director of  
Kentucky, to whom Remus said  
\$100,000 was offered merely to quit  
his job. Collins' version of the  
offer to him is now available.

By JOHN T. ROGERS,  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 13.—  
Sam Collins told the writer yester-  
day that in 1921 he refused an offer  
of \$100,000 to resign his office as  
Federal Prohibition Director of  
Kentucky. He learned later that  
the source of the offer was George  
Remus, millionaire Cincinnati boot-  
legger, who owned distilleries in  
Kentucky and desired a free hand  
in withdrawing liquor from them.

"Collins' activities in enforcing  
the Volstead act were seriously  
interfering with our withdrawals  
in Kentucky," Remus said. "I had  
investigated him and felt certain  
he could not be bought. But I  
felt that if he could be induced  
to resign, I could get a man ap-  
pointed who would be willing to  
listen to reason. I managed to  
convince Collins indirectly an  
offer of \$100,000 cash to quit his  
job. But he turned it down for  
\$385 a month, turned down a for-  
tune! The Government ought to  
erect a monument to him."

Collins tells of Offer.  
Collins, who resigned during the  
reorganization of the prohibition  
enforcement department last Octo-  
ber, said the Remus offer came to  
him through an attorney, and was  
diplomatically worded, but per-  
fectly clear. It was quietly and  
firmly refused. Subsequently, he  
said, he received another offer of  
\$12,500 a year to head a new soft  
drink manufacturing concern, and  
was seriously considering it when  
a raid upon a brewery disclosed that  
the drink really was a product of  
the brewery, which was engaged in  
making real beer. Thereupon that  
offer was also rejected. Collins'  
salary as prohibition director was  
\$4600 a year.

The writer found Collins at his  
home in Whitesburg, a town of  
1000 population far over in the  
Black Pine Mountains, near the  
Virginia border. He was not hard  
to find. Everybody in Southeastern  
Kentucky seems to know Sam. He  
is a mild-mannered, soft-spoken  
man of 40, with the level gaze and  
drawl characteristic of the region.  
He was visibly embarrassed by the  
prospect of being the subject of a  
newspaper article, and yielded up  
the facts reluctantly, bit by bit.

"I don't think I ought to talk  
about myself that way, now. No,  
sir, I really don't," he protested.  
"It sounds kind of like I was brag-  
ging. Folks around here don't like  
a man that brags. So Mr. Remus  
told you about it, did he? You  
wouldn't think a man would tell it  
on himself, but I guess he has got  
he doesn't care. He's a curious kind  
of a fellow, anyhow. I saw him  
when he was down at the Atlanta  
Penitentiary. He came up to me  
and said:

"Square Shooter," Says Remus.  
"Mr. Collins, I tried to buy you  
off once, and you wouldn't sell out.  
I was a shake hands with you. I  
respect a man who is a square  
shooter and does his duty." Yes, sir,  
That's what he said to me. I  
thought it was real nice of him,  
don't you?"

Before prohibition came, Col-  
lins was a revenue agent, and his  
duties consisted in hunting down  
moonshine stills in the mountain  
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## MILLIONAIRE ORPHAN'S WILL LEAVING FORTUNE TO FOSTER FATHER ACCEPTED BY COURT

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 13.

THE will of the "Millionaire  
Orphan," William Nelson  
McClintock, was admitted to  
probate today by Circuit Judge  
Scanlan, reversing the ruling of  
the Probate Court. The will be-  
queaths the bulk of the estate to  
McClintock's foster father, Wil-  
liam D. Shepherd.

The will bequeaths an annuity  
of \$8000 to Miss Isabella Pope,  
McClintock's fiancée. Cousins  
of McClintock, who contested  
the will, have announced an in-  
tention to appeal. McClintock  
died in 1924. Shepherd was ac-  
quitted of a charge of having  
murdered his foster son by in-  
oculating him with typhoid  
fever germs.

## SHERIFF INDICTED IN CINCINNATI BEER SCANDAL

Named With Brewery Of-  
ficers and Employees on  
Charges of Sale of 'Good  
Beer.'

By the Associated Press.  
CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 13.—Rich-  
ard B. Witt, Sheriff of Hamilton  
County, and several officers and  
employees of the Mohawk Brewery  
of Cincinnati, were indicted by the  
Federal grand jury here late today  
on charges of illegally selling and  
distributing in Cincinnati large  
quantities of "good beer."

George R. Osterfeld, president of  
the brewery company, Joseph Os-  
terfeld, vice president, Harry  
Worthman and four truck drivers  
and brewery workers also were in-  
dicted.

Worthman is charged with re-  
ceiving and distributing the beer.  
Witt is alleged to have introduced  
him to the Osterfelds and to have  
aided in furthering the plot.

Twenty-three former Cincinnati  
police men are serving peniten-  
tiary sentences for protecting  
bootleggers and 11 were sentenced  
to jail for the offense.

**PAINTINGS IN W. A. CLARK  
COLLECTION BRING \$202,920**

Among Art Objects Sold at New  
York. Home, Porcelain Soup  
Plates Go for \$300 Each

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Paint-  
ings and art objects collected by the  
late Senator William A. Clark had  
brought a total of \$202,941 at the  
end of the second day of the sale  
in the Clark Chateau on Fifth ave-  
nue. The paintings, including ex-  
amples of the work of Gainsbor-  
ough, Romney, Constable and  
Beechey, brought \$202,920. The  
sale will close tomorrow with dis-  
posal of house furnishings.

The art objects included furni-  
ture, silverware, porcelain and  
bric-a-brac. Among objects which  
brought high prices were a set of  
Sevres porcelain soup plates, which  
brought \$200 each. A pair of sil-  
ver candelabra, with centerpiece  
and plates in the Renaissance  
manner, were sold for \$250.

The sale was of that part of the  
Clark collection not willed to the  
Corcoran Galleries in Washington.

**AVIATORS GATHER AT SEATTLE  
FOR ARCTIC EXPLORATION**

Wilkins Expedition 'Expected to  
Leave Point Barrow in Quest  
of Continent March 21.

By the Associated Press.  
SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 13.—  
Plans have been made here to  
come A. Malcolm Smith and Earl  
Rossman today, as the first mem-  
bers of an airplane expedition that  
Capt. George Hubert Wilkins is to  
lead out over the Arctic Ocean,  
looking for a continent. With



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LITTLE GIRL WRITES  
POLICE CHIEF FOR AID

Note Discloses Plight of Family of Six Living on \$7 a Week.

"Dear Chief Gerk," the letter read. "I am a little orphan girl. I am 11 years old. I just been operated on. I need clothes and shoes and food. My mother is working and supports me, but she only makes about \$7 a week. I want to go to school, but I can't. I will be glad for you to come and talk to me and tell me what to do. I am an orphan."

The letter, which had led Chief of Police Gerk to open this envelope ahead of several big and official-looking ones in this morning's mail, was the postscript: "I want to go to school, but I can't. The letter was signed Tweedie Lee Thurmond, 1601 1/2 South Eleventh street.

WOODLOCK TELLS SENATORS  
HIS 1924 VIEWS ARE CHANGED

Confronted With Articles He Wrote on Railroads, He Denies Opposing Labor Generally.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Confronted with printed articles on railroads, which he had written in 1924, Thomas P. Woodlock, whose nomination as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission is pending before the Senate, today told the Senate Commerce Committee that he had changed his views since then, and was continuously changing them as he studied the subject.

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QUESTIONED ABOUT  
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Assistant Attorney-General  
Donovan Denies Know-  
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"DON'T GIVE A DAMN  
IF IT IS MELLON CO."

Willing to Let Any Com-  
mittee of Lawyers Pass  
on Merit of Department  
of Justice Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—A White House conference between President Coolidge, Secretary Mellon and Attorney-General Sargent Jan. 2 before the Department of Justice issued its statement on the investigation of the Aluminum Company of America, was made the subject of inquiry today by a Senate committee.

The statement of the department said that the investigation of a stockholder, in which Mellon is a stockholder, thus far did not support the oft-repeated charge that the consent decree entered into in 1912 by the company had been violated. The Senate committee is directing its attention to the question of whether the department has used due diligence in prosecuting its investigation.

Asked why the statement was issued, Col. Donovan said the man in charge of the investigation had prepared it because they had seen "an advertisement in a newspaper" that an attack was to be made on the Justice Department in connection with the inquiry.

"They told me that if this matter was not faced now and the position of the Department made clear more severe attacks might be expected," Donovan continued. "I agreed with them and recommended to the Attorney-General that the statement be given to the public."

"Honest, intelligent job," he said. "I know we are doing an honest job on this investigation and I think we are doing an intelligent job."

As Walsh stressed Secretary Mellon's connection with the Aluminum Co., Col. Donovan became emphatic.

"I don't give a damn whether this is a Mellon company or any other concern," he said. "In point of fact, because it is some officer of the Government interested, I want to be more meticulous in presenting the investigation."

"And I want to say another thing. I have learned the obligations to my country in other places than around this table."

Col. Donovan served with the 37th (New York) Division in the World War.

Resents Imputation.  
The Assistant Attorney-General said the "whole imputation in this case is that a Mellon concern is being protected by the Federal Trade Commission and the Department of Justice."

"I'm the one charged with the responsibility in this case here," he said. "So far as I am concerned I am willing to submit the case to any body of lawyers such as make up this committee."

"I don't expect that I am going to convince any man whose mind is closed or who has prejudged the case."

Asked About Data.  
Questioned again about the removal of the Trade Commission to turn over data obtained from the Aluminum company, Donovan said the "position taken by the Trade Commission is not in conformity with the spirit of the act."

"There was nothing the Department of Justice could do to get the papers," he said. "The only body that could get them, he added, was the Senate, which ordered the original inquiry into the Aluminum company."

The department did get access to documents in the case of the proposed baking merger, he said, but he obtained the consent of the Trade Commission records.

"Without bragging he continued, 'I think our activities in that matter prevented a merger of the baking companies.'"

Family Found Destitute.  
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Defends Justice Department



WILLIAM J. DONOVAN

\$15,345,000 POWER PROJECT  
APPROVED BY STATE BOARD

Certificate Granted to Missouri Hydro-Electric Co. for Usage River Plant.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 13.—The State Public Service Commission today granted the Missouri Hydro-Electric Power Co., a certificate of public convenience and necessity to build and operate a hydro-electric power plant on the Osage River, near Bagnell, Mo. The certificate is conditioned upon the power company obtaining the consent of Miller, Camden, Morgan and Benton counties, in which the proposed water impounding reservoir, 100 miles in length, would be built.

The estimated cost of the dam and power plant is \$15,345,000. An application of the company for approval of its proposed financing plan, involving the issuance of approximately \$19,900,000 in securities, still is pending before the commission, but action on it has been deferred at the request of the company.

The company proposes to erect the dam five miles above Bagnell, in Miller County. The plans provide a dam 2360 feet in length and 126 feet in height and wide enough at the top for State highways Nos. 15 and 5 to cross it. The lake that would be formed would have a shore line of approximately 52,400 miles, and would submerge 53,400 acres of land, including the town of Linn Creek, county seat of Camden County.

Walter Graves, president of the Kansas City Joint Stock Land Bank, is president of the company, and Ralph Street of Kansas City is vice president.

SUIT OVER SALE OF STORED  
PHOTOGRAPHS ON TRIAL

Oscar L. Biebinger Seeks \$410 for Property He Says He Gave Orders Not to Sell.

Trial of the \$410 suit of Oscar L. Biebinger of 5551 Westminster place against the A. R. Perle Moving and Storage Co. for payment for stored pictures and photographs alleged to have been sold by the company began today before a jury in Circuit Judge Falkenhainer's court.

Biebinger contends that when he instructed the company to sell some of his possessions recently he asked it to except an icebox and some family photographs and pictures. The company sold them for \$12. The company contends that, even if it was mistaken, a proposition it will not admit, the value of the pictures was merely nominal.

A judgment in Biebinger's favor had previously been rendered by default in Justice of the Peace Court, but the company appealed.

ACTOR TAKES POISON AFTER  
ACTRESS WIFE LEAVES HIM

Thomas Hays, 35, in Hospital in Serious Condition as Result of Attempt to End Life.

Thomas Hays, 35 years old, an actor, is at city hospital suffering from the effects of poison which he took last night in an attempt to end his life. His condition is serious.

Hays was found unconscious near Police Headquarters at 8:30 p. m. by a policeman and taken to city hospital. In a note, written on stationery of the St. Louis City, Fourteenth and Chestnut streets, found in Hays' pocket, the actor apologized for causing "all this bother." "This is another case where someone else stepped in and a wife was foolish," the note read. The missive closed with the address of Hays' mother, who lives in the State of Washington, and of a brother residing in Cleveland.

At the hospital today Hays said his action was caused by his wife, Bernice, an actress, leaving him Sunday night to accept a theatrical position in another city.

SILVEY DENIES AIDING  
IN WOODY KILLING

Case Goes to Jury After He Testifies He Never Possessed Revolver.

The case of Edgar Silvey, 21 years old, on trial before Circuit Judge Landwehr for the murder of Police Sergeant Robert E. Woody, Nov. 9, 1924, went to the jury at 1 p. m. today.

The State concluded its case yesterday afternoon, and the jury rested this morning after presenting two witnesses, the defendant and his mother, Mrs. Eva Silvey. The defendant made a brief denial of guilt.

In response to three questions by his attorney, Verne R. C. Lacy, Silvey denied that he shot Woody, that he aided or abetted in the shooting or that he knew who did the shooting.

Denies Owning Revolver.  
Cross-examined by Assistant Circuit Attorney Stack, Silvey denied ever possessing a revolver exhibited at the trial as his, and alleged to have been used by him in holdups preceding the murder. He admitted being at the scene of two of the holdups, but was not pressed for details.

Mrs. Eva Silvey testified her son was 21 years old last November. She testified her son never possessed a revolver, so far as she knew.

The defense then offered a demurrer to the sufficiency of the evidence, and it was promptly overruled.

Four youths were indicted for the murder, the three others being Clay Cratty and Albert Gregori, who have been convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment, and Nicholas Hare, who turned State's witness and gained immunity. The State sought the death penalty for Cratty and Gregori, and asked the same for Silvey.

After presenting a dozen witnesses yesterday, the State rested its case. The testimony was similar to that in the previous trials, witnesses agreeing that the shots that killed Woody were fired from a holdup at the sixth-floor offices of the H. S. Collins Printing Co.

O'Flaherty added that he started to say, "Yes, let's surrender," when some of his companions opened fire on Grogan and Hammett, and all the robbers escaped, only to be arrested later.

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MAN KILLED BY WOOD ALCOHOL

A man, believed to be John Zwengrosch, about 65 years old, died at City Hospital early today from the effects of drinking wood alcohol.

The man was found unconscious in O'Fallon Park at noon yesterday and taken to the hospital. A notebook found in his clothing bore the name of "John Zwengrosch, 2142 Linton street."

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ASKED FOR SPROUL

Youth Identified as One of Robbers Who Killed Patrolman Grogan.

The trial of Leo Sproul, for the murder of Patrolman John H. Grogan, killed after the robbery of a Washington avenue printing office July 3 last, is expected to end by tomorrow night. It is in progress today before Judge Frey. Sproul, 20 years old, who lives at 2157 Benton street, is the second youth to be placed on trial in this case, Frank Bird, 19, having been convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment last week.

As in Bird's trial, the State will ask for the death penalty. The defense has not indicated the line it will take.

Maurice O'Flaherty, the State's chief witness, who admits having taken part in the robbery, testified in Bird's trial that Sproul took part in the robbery, but was unarmed, as O'Flaherty himself was. Three, including Bird, were armed. He said, the five youths, including O'Flaherty, are under indictment for the murder of Harvey Hammett, a salesman, who was shot while trying to help Grogan stop the fleeing robbers.

O'Flaherty took the witness stand today in Sproul's trial, after the indictment charging O'Flaherty with murder in the Hammett case was not pressed. At the previous trial the indictment against him in the Grogan case was not pressed.

His testimony was the same as at the previous trial. On cross-examination by Sigmund Bass, attorney for Sproul, he was asked: "Isn't it a fact that when Officer Grogan asked you to surrender this conversation took place: 'We're caught; let's give ourselves up.'"

The witness replied that he heard some such remark. He did not see the speaker, but the remark came from where Sproul was standing.

This conversation took place when Grogan and Hammett encountered the robbers as the latter descended in an elevator to the ground floor of the building at 1331 Washington avenue, after committing a holdup at the sixth-floor offices of the H. S. Collins Printing Co.

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VAN BLARCOM ESTATE  
SETTLES WITH NIECE

Miss Julia F. Hodge of Bloomington, Ill., Accepts \$15,000 on Claim.

The suit of Miss Julia F. Hodge of Bloomington, Ill., against the estate of her aunt, the late Mrs. Mary G. Van Blarcom, widow of J. C. Van Blarcom, banker, has been settled out of court, with Miss Hodge agreeing to accept \$15,000 in satisfaction of her original claim for \$30,000.

After Mrs. Van Blarcom's death, five years ago, Miss Hodge filed suit in the Probate Court on the ground that she had acted as companion, secretary and nurse for Mrs. Van Blarcom over a period of 13 years, but had not been paid for her services.

Probate Judge Holtkamp rendered a judgment in favor of the petitioner for \$20,000, which was affirmed on appeal to the Circuit Court, but the Supreme Court ordered a new trial because in the Circuit Court Miss Hodge was permitted to testify, contrary to the rule of law which prohibits a claimant against an estate from testifying.

Testified About Checks.  
Miss Hodge took the stand to explain several monthly checks issued to her by Mrs. Van Blarcom on which there was a notation "paid in full." She said the checks were fees for Christian Science treatments given by her to her aunt, payment being made in accordance with a custom among Christian Scientists who feel they should always pay promptly for such service. According to evidence, Mrs. Van Blarcom, whose sight was poor, made the remark, "Julia is my eyes."

On March 4 last, at the second trial in the Circuit Court, a jury returned a verdict in favor of the estate, refusing to allow the plaintiff any compensation, but Judge Ossing, who presided at this trial, sustained Miss Hodge's motion for a new trial on the ground that the verdict was against the evidence.

The case was pending on his docket for a third trial when the compromise was reached.

The amount of the settlement equals the bequest to the petitioner in the will of Mrs. Van Blarcom, to take effect contingent on the possibility that a son, Frederick C. Van Blarcom, did not survive his mother. As he is still alive, the bequest to Miss Hodge was void, and he is the only heir, the estate valued at \$270,000, being held in trust for his benefit.

The trustee, in opposing the claim, contended that the estate was not indebted to the petitioner. The defense advanced the theory that the claimant was the same as a guest or visitor.

Testimony offered by Miss Hodge was to the effect that Mrs. Van Blarcom, after the death of her husband, shut herself up in her home at 1-Westmoreland place and would not see many of her old friends. During this period, Miss Hodge was called in to console her aunt, it was contended.

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country, where the killing of revenue agents was widely regarded as a duty as well as a pleasure. In this service he earned a reputation for coolness and courage, and was particularly celebrated for his ability to accomplish his work without bloodshed. He is a tactful and kindly man and the fact that his determination was accompanied by none of the spirit of bravado gained him the respect of the hill dwellers.

When the Volstead act was passed, Collins, along with most of the old revenue agents, was taken into the enforcement division. These men have always been regarded as the flower of the force. There are about 140 distilleries in Kentucky, and the duty of preventing illegal withdrawals presented a large problem. There were plenty of men like Remus, eager to abstract the liquor for the bootleg trade.

# No Tool of Langley's

More than four years ago, the preceding director was indicted on a charge of conniving at illegal withdrawals, and was tried and acquitted. He resigned, and Collins was appointed to succeed him. Collins lives in the congressional district which was represented by John Langley, who resigned last Monday to serve his term in prison, under a conviction for aiding in illegal whisky withdrawals.

Langley was one of those who recommended Collins for the directorship, but that was where Langley made a mistake. He found later that he could not use the man from his district.

That whisky was being unlawfully withdrawn in large quantities from Kentucky distilleries was generally known. Collins set out to stop it. His first act was to stop the issuance of permits for whisky to be transported by trucks. "I figured this way," he said. "There are more automobiles in Kentucky than there are railroads, and you know right where the railroads are. I figured it would be easier to keep an eye on that whisky if it was moved by the railroads than if it was moved by trucks."

Congressman Langley came to him and tried to persuade him to repeal that order, but Collins said he guessed he would just let it stand. Later, when Langley was on trial for conspiracy in connection with the draining of the Belle of Anderson Distillery, Collins testified to the conversation.

# Lawyer Called on Collins

Remus had acquired some Kentucky distilleries in 1920, according to his own story. The order barring trucks seriously interfered with his withdrawals because the truck fleet was an integral part of Remus' organization. Shipping by rail led to complications, although he did succeed in shipping many a carload into his bogus Kentucky Drug Co., at Covington. The increasing vigilance of Collins, however, added to the difficulty and danger. So Remus made a characteristic move to eliminate him, after he had ascertained that Collins could not be bribed outright. Collins described the incident as follows:

"One day a lawyer came into my office in Lexington. I knew him, and he was a right nice sort of a fellow. We talked a little, and I saw he had something on his mind. Finally he says: 'Sam, you're getting 14600 a year here. I hope you won't think there is any impropriety in my suggesting that a man of your ability is worth a good deal more than that.'"

"Well, I says, 'I guess the Government is paying me all it thinks I'm worth, and I'm satisfied.'"

"I don't want you to ask me why I am making this proposal, he went on, 'but I wonder if you would consent to resign and go into some business for yourself if I laid 100,000 on your table. You can have it in cash, Liberty bonds, or any way you want it,' he said, 'and there won't be any strings to it. If you'll say now that you will resign, I'll take your word for it, and the money is yours.'"

"Oh, somebody's just making a fool out of you," I told him. "Listen, now. You're a lawyer. What would you say if somebody would come and offer you 100,000 to desert your client right when he needed you most?"

# U. S. His Client

"That would be a different proposition, entirely Sam," he said. "I'm not asking you to do anything improper or dishonest. I just want you to quit."

"It's the same proposition exactly," I told him. "The Government is my client. It retained me, and trusts me to do my best, and it wouldn't be fair to throw the Government down right now when it needs me. No," I says to him, "I couldn't do it, and you oughtn't to ask me, you know yourself you oughtn't."

"So he said all right, if I felt that way about it, and he hoped I hadn't misunderstood him. He went out and I never heard any more about it."

"I told my wife about it that night, and she was real angry. She wanted to know why I hadn't set him out on his head for making a proposition like that to me. But I told her that wouldn't do anybody any good; that he was a pretty good sort of a fellow, only somebody was making a fool out of him. I saw no game to get all worked up over it. I just told him, and that was the end of it."

The reporter's interview with Collins took place in his office in Whitesburg. Collins leaned back in his chair, and seemed to con-

sider with regret the fact that he had said so much about himself. "Wasn't the offer a strong temptation?" he was asked. "Why, not at all—at all, I was always taught to be honest, and it doesn't cost me any particular effort. Us folks down in this country are not used to much, and what we ain't got we get along very comfortably without. No, sir, I can't say it bothered me any at all. About all I crave in the way of luxury is a good cigar. Make 'em black and strong for me, and I'm satisfied. Why, what would I do with 100,000 if I had it?"

His partner, Judge Harvie, intervened: "Well, Sam, I can tell the gentleman one use you could put it to. You could use some of it to pay off that \$3750 note we just renewed."

"Tell him about the Bourbonola proposition," urged Harvie, with a twinkle in his eye.

"The Judge oughtn't to tell that on me," complained Sam plaintively. "Those fellows come pretty close to making a fool out of me. Now that the Judge has let it out, I guess I might as well tell it, though. Some fellows come to me."

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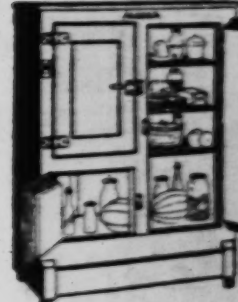
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(Men's Shirt Dept. and Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Women's  
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Coats and Slipovers of silk-and-wool or all-wool knitted, in dark or vivid colors. A host of styles, each extraordinary values. Another group is shown at \$4.95

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Silk Blouses of crepe or satin, made in tunics or overblouses in many shades. They are greatly reduced.

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Pleated Skirts of silk-and-wool mixture—regular and extra sizes. Unusual values.

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Half-Price

Girls' dark Middy Blouses, emblem trimmed.

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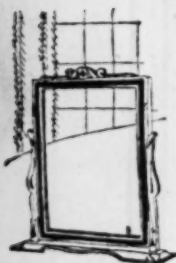
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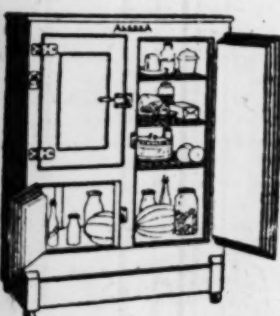
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79c

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Begins Monday, January 18th

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday

On these three days preceding the formal opening of the sale, our Furniture Department holds "Open House," and you are cordially invited to stroll leisurely through our complete stocks; inspect and make selections if you wish.

Four-Piece Bedroom Suite

Typical of the Values in This Sale

\$246.00

This unusually attractive Suite is of walnut veneer over selected woods, charmingly decorated with flower design. It consists of 50-inch dresser, full size vanity, bed with bow end, and a choice of large chifforobe or low-boy—all exceptionally well constructed throughout.

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(Seventh Floor.)



Gossard Combinations

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This price is recognized as extremely low for garments of the Gossard quality. The style is a popular one, combining girdle and brassiere, and is superior in designing, workmanship, and material. This group also includes other garments of excellent makes:

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95c

These Gloves are samples and "close-outs" from a prominent importer, and are of a quality most unusual at this price. In the favored short-cuff styles, turn-down or flare, they offer a splendid selection of designs, colors and sizes. It will be profitable to select several pairs from this group.

(Main Floor.)

Filet and Cutwork  
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The beauty and quality of these Sets is surprising when the low price is considered. They are of linen, soft and finely woven—each Set consisting of an 18x54-inch runner and one dozen oblong doilies to match.

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(Linen Section—Second Floor.)





**College Removes Bar on Dances.**  
By the Associated Press.  
WOOSTER, O., Jan. 13.—Dancing at Wooster College, which for many years has been definitely opposed to that form of recreation, is now permissible. Old-time dances have been approved by the faculty.

### Watch Your Frail Puny Child Grow Strong Take on Weight—Quick

Take Cod Liver Oil the New Tasteless Way—In Sugar-Coated Tablets. In just a few days—these wonderful fish-making tablets called McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets will start to help any weak, thin, undernourished little one.

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**Polish Falcons Install Offices.**  
Peter J. Wolciechowski, a national commissioner of the Polish National Alliance, officiated last night at the installation of officers conducted by the local chapter of the organization. The order in St. Louis is known as the Polish Falcons.

### ONE U. S. DRY CHIEF REMUS COULD NOT BUY FOR \$100,000

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with a proposition to make me the head of a new soft drink concern which they said they were organizing. They offered me \$125,000 a year, and it looked mighty good.

"They were going to make a drink that they called Bourbonola. While I was considering it, me and my men raided a brewery in Lexington where they were making real beer.

"Beer and Bourbonola. "We found the beer all right, and what's more, we found several dozen cases of Bourbonola, which they had made right there. Then I understood the good offer I had received. It didn't take me long to turn it down. Those fellows just wanted to get me out of office."

At Lexington is Charles N. Ward, the United States Commissioner, and Sam Collins' best friend. The reporter asked him to tell something of Collins' official activities.

"Well, I'll say he sure was active," observed Ward with a grin. "He made it so hot for the bootleggers that most of them got out of the State. After he was offered that \$100,000 bribe to quit, he got to thinking, and he says to himself that if they would offer him \$100,000 to quit, they'd probably tamper with his men. So he got right out in the field with them, so he could see what was going on."

"Sam noticed that one of his men was pretty well acquainted with a bootlegger named George Owens and he also noticed that his man seemed to be pretty prosperous. So Sam told another one of his agents to get acquainted with this Owens and see what he could find out. Sure enough, it wasn't long till Owens made him a proposition. The agent mac Owens up a hotel room and accepted the money from him. Owens got pretty confidential and made it known that the other agent, the one Sam suspected, was on his payroll."

"Well, Sam was never strong on hearsay testimony, and about the time he crawled out from under the bed in the room and arrested Owens for attempted bribery. They convicted him. While he was in the penitentiary he got a permit to go home and see his sick child. But he used it to escape. There was a report that Owens had committed suicide, but Sam went up in the hills and later came back, bringing Owens with him. Oh, yes, Sam was active."

**Work on Dowling Case.**  
But perhaps Sam's best-known work was in the Dowling case. Mrs. Mary M. Dowling was a wealthy widow of Lawrenceburg and owned two distilleries. One of Collins' men captured a petty bootlegger in Lexington and Collins questioned him. The bootlegger said: "Why don't you let up on us little fellows and get after some of the ones that are getting the big money?"

"Well, then," said Collins, "suppose you just tell me who they are." Whereupon the bootlegger told him that he had bought his whiskey at the fashionable bar where Mrs. Dowling lived with her two grown sons and daughters. Sam and the bootlegger drove to the house and Sam remained outside while the bootlegger went in and bought two cases. Then Sam arrested the entire family and found 500 cases of whiskey in the cellar, each case in a gunny sack such as the bootlegger had received his whiskey in.

The affair created a sensation in Kentucky, because the Dowling family is old and aristocratic. Nevertheless, all five were tried and convicted. Sentence has not yet been passed. Ward was asked what the prospects were.

"This is Kentucky, you know," he said. "There are some mighty fine ladies in this case, and there is a lot of sympathy with them. I don't know how it'll come out. But everybody said that Sam Collins only did his duty."

When Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews reorganized the prohibition forces last October, a new district was formed to include both Kentucky and Tennessee, and Collins was appointed director of it. He protested that Kentucky was all one man could handle. Andrews offered to make his salary \$500 a year, but Sam said it wasn't a question of money; that it was simply too much for one man. The outcome was that he resigned.

much to the regret of the Director. General at Washington. Since then, he has been made Referee in Bankruptcy in the Federal Court in his district.

**WIFE OF U. S. ARMY CAPTAIN OBTAINS DIVORCE AND ALIMONY**  
Charging coolness and indifference, Mrs. Ethel May Riner yesterday was granted a divorce from Capt. Dan Harold Riner of Jefferson Barracks by Circuit Judge Wiattman at layton. Alimony of \$75 a month for six months was granted Mrs. Riner and \$50 a month for the support of a 5-year-old daughter during the time that was with her mother. The petition was filed in the morning and the divorce granted in the afternoon.

Mrs. Riner testified she married Riner in Belvidere, Ill., in 1920, and that they had separated Jan. 8 last. Their child was sent by agreement to stay with her paternal grandparents in Mason City, Mo., at the time of the separation. Riner died a general denial of the charges, but did not appear in court to contest the divorce.

**Polish Falcons Install Officers.**  
Peter J. Wolciechowski, a national commissioner of the Polish National Alliance, officiated last night at the installation of officers conducted by the local chapter of the organization. The order in St. Louis is known as the Polish Falcons.

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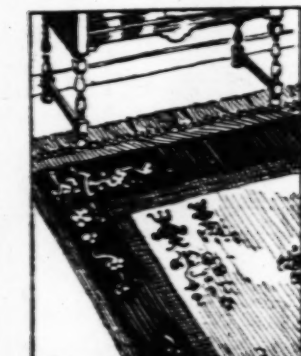
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Furniture Shop—Fifth Floor.



One group of fine Rugs in discontinued patterns. Wiltons and Velvets, Axminsters, sizes 7x12 to 9x12 feet. Also Rugs made from broad loom carpet in shades of gray and taupe.

Priced 1/3 Off

**Saxony Rugs**  
Size 9x12 feet, discontinued patterns in these exceptionally durable Bigelow-Hartford Rugs. Formerly \$140.

\$92.50

Size 4x7.5, formerly \$49.25, for \$32.90

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.

### Clearance of Rugs 1/4 1/3

BIGELOW Hartford and Whittall Rugs in discontinued patterns, to be closed out at marked reductions. Only twice a year is this wonderful opportunity afforded. You can make a substantial saving on one or more of these desirable Rugs from our choice assortment.

\$57.50 to \$62.50, Size 9x12 Feet

\$47.50

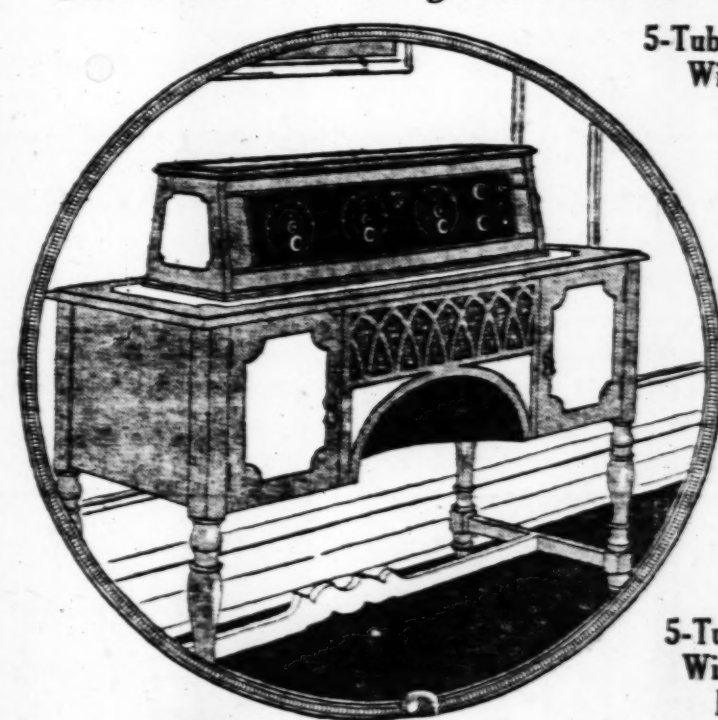
Bigelow Electra and Bussorah Rugs. Seamless Axminsters. Also Sanford Beauvais Axminsters. Discontinued patterns, embracing a wide choice of colors and patterns. All excellent quality.

Imperial Ispahan Wilton Rugs, of Bigelow Hartford make, in discontinued patterns. Size 27 in. by 4 ft. 6 in. Formerly \$11.62

\$15.50, for \$11.62

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.

### The Sale of Valleytone Radios Continues



**5-Tube Valleytone Set With Console Table Having Built-In Speaker**

Complete With All Accessories

A Regular \$232 Outfit for

\$135

\$35 Down and \$12 Monthly

**5-Tube Receiving Set With 15-Inch Bell Loud Speaker**

Complete With All Accessories

A Regular \$182 Outfit for

\$98.75

\$25 Down and \$10 Monthly

Let our experienced radio engineers install your set. A small charge is made for this work.

**All Accessories Included**  
3 RCA or Cunningham Tubes.  
2 Eveready or Burgess "B" Batteries.  
1 Willard Storage Battery.  
1 Aerial Outfit.

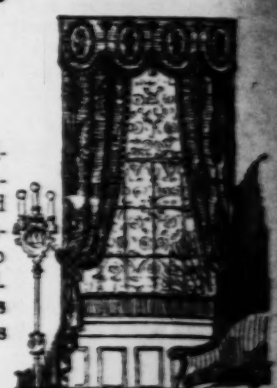


### Imported Block Print Drapery Sets

Regularly \$17.50

\$9.85

VERY fine quality of hand-blocked cretonne. Trimmed with tassels and fringed edgings. In four color combinations, on grounds of deep mulberry, gray, black or gold. The valance will fit windows up to 4 ft. wide. Curtains 2 1/2 yards long. Extra valance, 80c a foot.



Brussels Lace Panels—Special at

\$2.95 \$3.85 \$4.75

Sheer imported laces in styles suitable for the modern window and French door. Attractive all-over designs. Finished with deep bullion fringe. 24 in., 30 in. and 36 in. wide, 2 1/4 yds. long.

Curtain and Drapery Shop—Fourth Floor.

Continuing the Clearance Sale of

### 1000 Wardrobe, Steamer Wardrobe, Dress and Steamer Trunks

All New, Perfect Trunks Marked at Average Savings of

33 1/3%.

**Dress or Packing Trunk—Two Styles \$15.75**

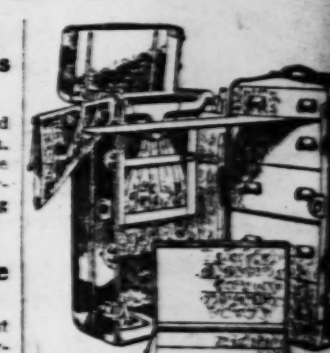
Choice of two styles and two sizes—36 or 39 inch. Trunks are of round edge construction, ideal for storing, shipping or packing wearing apparel.

**Full-Size Wardrobe Trunk, \$31.75**

Equipped with the latest conveniences, having waterproof lining, locking device for all drawers, dust curtain and laundry bag. Capacity 12 to 24 garments.

**Full-Size Wardrobe Trunk, \$36.50**

Round-edge construction, unbreakable solid steel cold-rolled trimmings. Draw bolts, spring lock, cretonne lining, five drawers, convertible hat box, shoe box, dust curtain, laundry bag.



**Fully Equipped Wardrobe Trunk, \$39.75**

Full-size Trunk with round edges and steel strips on each side. Covered with hard fiber. Waterproof lining, separate compartment, hat compartment, laundry bag, dust curtain, hanger and ironing board built in. Same Trunk equipped with rollers \$42.75

**Steamer Trunks—Two Sizes, Each**  
Choice of two styles and two sizes—36 or 39 inch. Trunks have round edges and solid steel trimmings; \$13.95 unexcelled for touring or European travel. Luggage Shop—Downstairs.

### Special Sale of Used Cleaners

All in Perfect Running Order

\$10 to \$30

Royals Americas Ohio and others

Electric Shop—Downstairs.

**\$5.00 Electric Iron**

6-lb. size. Complete with cord and plug. One year guarantee.

Special, \$3.45

**Electric Immersion Heater**

\$2.00 appliances that heat a glass of water in 30 seconds. A necessity for the busy and for the invalid's comfort. See it demonstrated in the Electric Shop.

Special, \$1.95

Electric Shop—Downstairs.



Have You Seen "The Miracle"? Seats as Low as \$1.00

Olive and Locust, From Ninth to Twelfth

**DEATH AFTER CRASH WITH CAR**  
OTTO M. Hinn, 55 years old, father of 2608 Cherokee street, died today at City Hospital of a fracture of skull, suffered Jan. 1 when his automobile, which he was driving east in the 600 block of Manchester avenue, collided with a westbound Manchester street car. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Rosalind Gast. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from a funeral chapel at 242 Cherokee street, to Park Lawn Cemetery.

**ADVERTISING**  
**BAD COUGH; KEPT LOSING WEIGHT**  
"I was taken with a dry, hacking cough about 6 months ago. Finally I was so sore across the chest I could hardly breathe, and coughed continually until I thought it would kill me. I had no appetite, spent my days in bed, and when I started to get up I was so weak I could not do more than the simplest of things. I was told to try Milks Emulsion. I bought a bottle and after a few days I began to feel better. I had gained my appetite, my cough was gone, and I have regained my strength. I had before been a sick man."—Arthur Coleman, B. 391, Helena, Ark.

You need an appetite, a good stomach, and some real strength, to want to fight off disease. Milks Emulsion restores health, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and cathartics. It promotes appetite and quickly promotes the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food, thus building flesh and strength, which are Nature's aids in conquering germs and repelling the effects of wasting disease. This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. Wonderful for weak, sickly children. No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion. If not satisfied with results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by druggists everywhere.

**MILKS EMULSION**  
Builds strength—Tastes good

**Heintz Steel Garages**  
THE finest built and longest lived garage at the most moderate price. Convenient terms, if desired. Call Tyler 254 for illustrated descriptive circular.

**Heintz Steel & Mfg. Co.**  
Main and Clinton

**HURTS HIP IN FALL FROM TREE**  
Bruises and strain quickly helped by simple treatment.

A simple home treatment, using Sloan's Liniment, will greatly hasten recovery from bruises, strains, and sprains. Hundreds of people from all over the country have taken the trouble to write of the truly remarkable results they have got from using it.

A young woman writes from E. J. Sloan's, Monroe County, N. C., that while she was picking chestnuts from the tree on which she was standing, broke and gave her hip a severe fall.

"I suffered agony," she says, "and the pain right away. I couldn't feel it at all."

Sloan's gave results that weren't just deaden pain; it gave relief.

Right to the place that hurts, rub a healing stream of Sloan's. Quickly and surely it breaks up the congestion, drives away pain and easy to use, too. Get a bottle today. All druggists—35c.

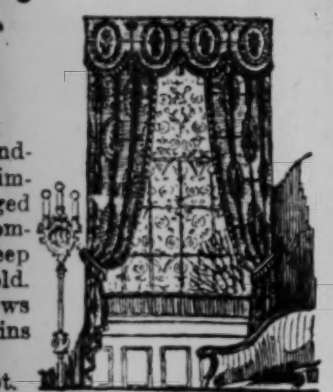
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Locust, From Ninth to Tenth

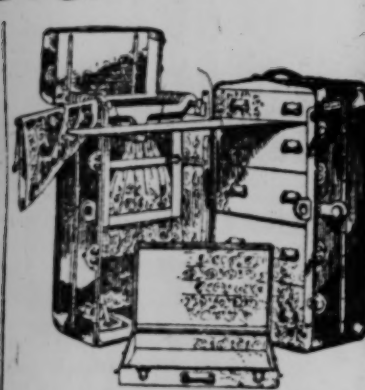
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Waterproof lining, separate shoe  
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Same Trunk equipped with  
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Two sizes—36 or 29 inch.  
Solid steel trimmings; \$13.95  
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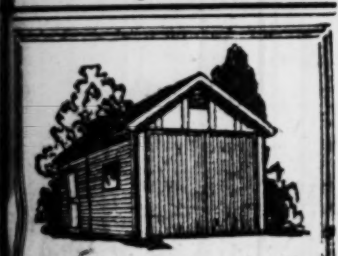
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The first bottle of MILKS EMULSION  
did me more good than the \$100  
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left me, and I have regained the  
 flesh and strength I had before I  
was sick."—Arthur Coleman, Box  
201, Helena, Ark.

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**LASSITER GETS**  
**PERSHING'S PLACE**  
**ON TACNA BOARD**

**Plan Is for Him to Resign  
if Pershing Is Able to  
Resume Duties After  
Treatment.**

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Selection  
of Major-General William Las-  
siter, commanding the Department  
of Panama, to succeed Gen. John  
J. Pershing as president of the  
Tacna-Arica Plebiscite Commis-  
sion, was made by President Cool-  
idge yesterday.

He will sail from Panama on the  
cruiser Cleveland for Africa to-  
day.

Gen. Pershing is expected to  
submit his resignation in time to  
permit Lassiter to be commis-  
sioned in his stead so that the  
former may leave Africa for the  
United States on the cruiser Den-  
ver about Jan. 15.

In the event of Gen. Pershing's  
complete recovery of health after  
treatment here, Major-General  
Lassiter would in turn resign and  
Gen. Pershing be reappointed as  
head of the commission. This pro-  
cedure is necessary, since the  
award creating the commission  
provides only for a president who  
shall be an American and does not  
permit the appointment of a vice  
president.

Administration officials here are  
hopeful that Gen. Pershing will  
be able to resume his duties in  
Africa. They recognize, however,  
that the reports as to his condition  
received from Major-General Glenn  
J. Jones of the Army Medical  
Corps, make it possible that con-  
sideration for his health will not  
permit his return to South Amer-  
ica. In that event Lassiter prob-  
ably would carry out the plebiscite  
arrangements.

On Gen. Pershing's arrival here  
army medical officers will recom-  
mend that he enter Walter Reed  
Hospital for medical and dental  
examination and treatment. They  
are hopeful that correction of the  
dental troubles which are believed  
by Dr. Jones to be the main cause  
for other disturbing symptoms,  
will be followed by a disappear-  
ance of the symptoms.

**Pershing Condemns Partisan Ac-  
tivities by Americans.**  
By the Associated Press.  
ARICA, Chile, Jan. 13.—For the  
first time since he began his ac-  
tivities with the Tacna-Arica Plebiscite  
Commission, Gen. Pershing  
spoke directly to the newspaper  
correspondents last evening at the  
conclusion of a meeting of the com-  
mission. He reiterated his con-  
demnation of partisan plebiscitary  
activities on the part of American  
citizens.

Although the General spoke in  
English while most of the corre-  
spondents were Spanish, he made  
his meaning clear and impressed  
the gathering, especially when he  
emphasized the fact that while he  
thought all Americans, no matter  
how they were occupied, were  
bound to facilitate the impartial  
work of the American delegation.

**TOM KEARNEY'S \$100 CHECK  
RETURNED BY POLICE RELIEF**

Action Based on Board's Ruling  
Against Accepting Money From  
Betting Interests.

The Police Relief Association  
yesterday returned a \$100 check  
to Tom Kearney, betting commis-  
sioner, whose cigar store at 407  
Walnut street has been raided fre-  
quently by the gambling squad, and  
instructed Patrolman Herman Sel-  
bels, acting as a committee of one,  
to tell Kearney it could not accept  
his money.

**YOUNG RUSSIAN POET KILLED**

Anatole Arsky, Revolutionist, Shot  
Performing Police Duty.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the  
Chicago Daily News, Copyright 1926.  
MOSCOW, Jan. 13.—Word comes  
from Novorossiysk, Black Sea  
port of the dramatic death of Ana-  
tole Arsky, a young poet, only  
slightly less famous than Serge  
Yesenin, the poet whose tragic  
suicide startled the country a short  
time ago.

Arsky was the poet of the new  
revolution. He not only lauded  
the movement in verse but he ed-  
ited a newspaper and participated  
in local government activities. On  
the night of Dec. 27, Arsky was  
on duty at police headquarters  
when the report came that several  
suspected robbers were in a certain  
house. Accompanied by other  
members of the secret police and  
several uniformed officers, Arsky  
entered the house and started to  
question the strangers. Without  
relying, one of them drew a re-  
volver and the poet fell to the  
floor with three bullets in his body.  
Though mortally wounded the poet  
returned the fire, killing his as-  
sailant.

Women's Committee to Meet Feb. 1.

Proposed legislation regarding  
harmful drugs and the suppression  
of vice will be discussed by the  
Missouri Women's Legislative Com-  
mittee at its regular meeting at the  
College Club at 11 a. m. Feb. 1.

**Art Needlework  
Classes**

Join our free classes of lamp shade making,  
embroidery, rug making, knitting and crystalline  
work. Competent teachers in attendance.

(Art Needlework Department—Main Floor, South.)

**Clearing Sale at Big Reductions**

**Winter Coats**  
\$24 \$34 \$44

**Furs** Beaver Squirrel Fitch Wolf Manchurian Wolf Beaverette Moufflon and Other Furs  
**Materials** Montebello Pinpoint Bolivia Avangalla Fine Suede Duvbloom  
**Styles** Back, Front and Side Flares Straightline Models and Wrappy Effects

All Colors All Sizes for Women, Misses, Stouts

**Coats Reduced**

To \$12.95 \$16.95 \$19

The first time this year have Coats been advertised at these prices on our Second Floor. Desirable materials, good styles and colors. Fur trimmed and plain styles. Sizes for women and misses. Dress and sports models.

(Nugents—Second Floor, South.)



**Clearing Sale  
Sweaters**

Women's and misses' knitted  
wool sweaters and  
suede Lumberjacks in a  
good selection of colors and  
weaves; the suede Lumber-  
jacks finished with knitted  
high collar, wrist and hip  
band. Sizes 36 to 42.

\$2.95

(Second Floor—South.)

**Clearing Boys'  
Furnishings**

Boys' Caps and  
Hats 75c  
to \$1.00  
values. .... 25c

Clearance Sale of Boys'  
Blouses—Pastel shades, \$1.25  
values, each. .... 98c

Clearance of Boys' Man-  
icette Pajamas—\$1 to \$1.50  
values, each. .... 88c

Clearance of Boys' Swea-  
ters—Slipover and coat styles;  
regular \$2.45 and \$2.95 val-  
ues, each. .... \$1.95

Clearance of Boys' \$1.50  
to \$2 Caps and Hats—  
Each. .... 30c

Clearance of Boys' \$1.50 to  
\$2.95 Blouses—Slightly  
soiled. .... \$1.19

Clearance Boys' \$1.50 to  
\$3.95 Shirts—Slightly soiled,  
\$1.19

(Nugents—Third Floor, North.)

**Clearing Girls'  
Apparel**

**Winter Coats**

150 girls' all-wool Coats  
of downy wool, pelaire, ve-  
lour and Bolivia. All well  
lined and interlined. Fur  
trimmed. Attractive styles  
in sizes 6 to 16 years.

\$10

Girls' Heavy Coat  
Sweaters  
In red, navy, Copen,  
brown and tan.  
Sizes 28 to 34. .... \$5

(Nugents—Second Floor.)

**Clearing New Silks**

**New Lunette Crepe**—An extra-heavy Geor-  
gette—in all the new Spring shades. Ivory  
and black. 40 inches wide. ....  
**\$3.50 Printed Crepe de Chines**—In new color  
combinations; light and dark patterns. 40  
inches wide. ....  
**\$3.50 Satin Crepe**—A lustrous heavy quality.  
In wanted Spring shades and black. 40  
inches wide. ....  
**\$3.98 Flat Thread Crepes**—An extra fine  
quality; in all the new Spring shades, also  
ivory and black. ....  
**\$3.98 Satin Striped Canton**—A popular ma-  
terial for Spring wear. In colors of Tan-  
ger, cocoa, seal, navy, jade, Copen, ivory  
and black. 40 inches wide. ....

Thursday

\$2.98

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(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

**Clearing Wash Fabrics**

**Plain Cotton Satinette**  
36-inch plain and self-striped Cotton Satinette. Has a  
lustrous finish. For slips, etc. In a  
limited number of colors. Yard. .... 44c

**98c Printed Crepe de Chine**  
36-inch half-silk printed Crepe de Chine in  
many patterns and color combinations. Yard. .... 59c

**69c Rayon and Cotton Crepe**  
36-inch plain-colored Cotton and Rayon Crepe.  
Ideal for children's and misses' dresses. Yard. .... 49c

**89c Brocaded Rayon Crepe**  
36-inch Rayon Crepe, brocaded in many beautiful de-  
signs. In all plain colors. An ideal  
dress fabric. Yard. .... 68c

**Half-Silk Pongee**  
36-inch Pongee in its natural color. Excellent for  
drapes, curtains, dresses, blouses, etc. Yard. .... 39c

**39c Colored Sateen**  
36-inch cotton Sateen in all the wanted plain shades.  
Plenty of black. For quilts, bloomers,  
slips, etc. Yard. .... 25c

**50c Black Sateen**  
36-inch cotton Sateen in a lustrous black.  
For bloomers and slips. Yard. .... 25c

(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

**Seamless  
Bed Sheets**

\$1.95 seamless Sheets in  
11x39-inch size, in a very  
good quality of bleached  
sheeting and have a nice  
wide hem; each. .... \$1.65

(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

**January Sale of**

**Underthings**

**\$1.95 Women's Pajamas**  
Of cotton crepe, in two-piece style.  
Trimmed with frogs;  
full cut and comfort-  
able garments.  
Priced at. .... \$1.45

**\$2.95 Princess Slips**  
In bodice-top style, of fancy striped  
tulle, with deep hip hem. Colors:  
Flesh, honey and  
white. Priced. .... \$1.85

**\$1.39 and \$1.50 Extra-Size  
Nightgowns**  
Of nainsook. Slipover style, round  
neck, trimmed with embroidery and  
lace, full cut; well  
made. Priced. .... \$1.00

**Novelty Cloth Lingerie**  
A splendid assortment of slipover  
Nightgowns, in novelty stripes, checks  
and cotton crepe and voile. Round and  
V-neck style. Trimmed with lace in-  
sertion, hemstitching and tiny ruffles.  
White and dainty colors.  
Exceptional value. .... \$1.00

(Nugents—Second Floor, South.)

**Rayon  
Spreads**

Large-size Bedspreads, \$4.95  
one-piece bolster attached.  
size 81x103. .... \$4.95

(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

**Clearing Sale of Men's Wear**



**Men's Fancy  
Shirts**

Men's collar-attached and neckband  
styles. Fancy stripes, checks and  
other novelty patterns. In light and  
dark colors. English broadcloth,  
woven madras, cord-  
ed madras and other  
good materials. Sizes  
13 1/2 to 17.  
Special. .... \$1.35

Men's Collars—Fancy; seconds. 23c. .... 5 for \$1.00

Men's Hose—Fancy; seconds. 23c. .... 3 for \$1.00

Men's Hose—Seconds. .... 25c

Men's Knit Ties—Fancy stripes. .... 25c

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Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. Daily. Saturday, 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

# FAMOUS-BARR CO.

## Basement Economy Store News

**Women's Hose**  
69c  
Value... **35c**

€ Semi-fashioned silk-mixed  
Hose, with crossword de-  
signs on legs. Various pop-  
ular colors.  
Basement

**Gloves**  
\$1.25 to \$1.65  
Values  
**69c**

€ Women's chamoi-  
suede fabric Gloves in  
novelty cuff effect.  
Good colors and sizes.  
Basement

**\$1.25 Purses  
For Women**  
**89c**

€ Attractive Purses  
in underarm style;  
fitted with mirror.  
Basement

**Infants' Dresses**  
\$1.29 to  
\$1.50 Values. **95c**

€ Philippine hand-  
made Dresses in several  
styles. Trimmed in  
pleasing ways.  
Basement

Beginning Thursday Morning at 9 O'Clock—An Extraordinary Basement Economy Store Apparel Event—

# Sale of 2500 Spring Dresses

A Purchase From Several Leading Makers—Presenting About 200 New Styles  
Every Garment a Surprising Value at the Sale Price of

# \$8<sup>55</sup>

€ An event that should crowd our Basement Dress Section with hundreds of eager purchasers bright and early Thursday morning—2500 crisp, new Spring Dresses in about 200 smart, new and becoming models are involved—all just in from New York—the productions of several of New York's most capable makers of popularly priced Dresses. These Dresses at \$8.55 are truly extraordinary values—so extraordinary that many women and misses will want to reap the economy of supplying present and later Spring dress needs here Thursday. The saving on each Dress is, of course, exceptional, but even more attractive is the quality of materials and the advance, smart style features. Arrange to attend this sale as near nine o'clock as possible and see for yourself what an unusual Dress event this really is. When you see how unusual the values are, you'll not stop at one, but will surely choose two or more.

### Favored Materials

—were used in their making—flat crepe, Georgette, charmeuse, crepe satin, rich-looking brocades, printed crepes, silk and wool faille and lustrous satin Canton—all of serviceable qualities.

### Newest Color Tones

—in this assortment, which also includes many models in black and dark shades. Palmetto green, lipstick, blonde, rosewood, gray, ashes of roses, jade, chartreuse, cuckoo, fawn and others.

### Advance Styles

—reveal their "difference" in circular or flaring skirts, high necks, puffed and embroidered sleeves, flowing jabots, pleats, metallic or tinsel trimmings—and new tailored effects.

Misses' Sizes 16 to 20 Years; Women's  
Sizes 36 to 44; Extra Sizes 46 to 50

Extra Space, Salespeople and Wrapping Facilities. Dresses on Racks According to Size

Basement Economy Store



## \$4 & \$5 Lace Curtains

Very Special, Pair... **\$2.95**

€ Fillet and Nottingham weaves Lace Curtains in new attractive patterns. Two and one-half yards long and offered in white, ivory and beige tints. Of a quality that will wear well.

**\$1.50 Drapery Madras**  
Imported Scotch Madras that is sunfast and tubfast; 45 to 52 inches wide and in various designs and colors.  
Yard... **79c**

**\$1.00 Terry Cloth**  
Reversible Terry Cloth in beautiful color combinations; 36 inches wide. Special.  
Yard... **69c**

36-inch Norwood Curtain Swags; 25c value, yard, 15c.

### Ruffled Curtains

Plain white hemstitched scrim Curtains with full ruffle and tie-backs to match.  
\$1.50 grade; pair... **79c**

### Holland Shades

Scalloped and fringed Holland Shades; 36 inches wide and 4 feet long. Seconds of  
\$1.50 grade; each... **69c**

Basement Economy Store

Featured Thursday in the Very Helpful January

## Sale of Cotton Goods

Scan This Important List and Save on the Wanted Fabrics

### Cotton Outing

Yard-wide fancy striped Cotton Outing Flannel of heavy quality. For sleeping garments, etc.  
25c value, yard... **16c**

### Cotton Outing

27-inch Cotton Outing Flannel in fancy striped patterns. Cut from the piece. 15c value, yard... **10c**

### Dress Gingham

Remnant lengths of 32-inch Kaibure Gingham in new plaids, checks and plain colors. 25c value, yard... **15c**

### Bed Sheets

Bleached seamless Sheets with deep hem. Subject to slight stains.  
\$1.50 grade, each... **\$1.19**

### Linen Toweling

Pure linen bleached Toweling with fast-color red or blue striped border. 25c value, yard... **22c**

### Brown Muslin

Heavy quality unbleached Muslin in remnant lengths of 2 to 15 yards. 25 inches wide. 25c value, yard... **15c**

### Bath Towels

Heavy bleached Terry Towels with neat blue border and hemmed ends. 20x40-inch size. Seconds of  
15c grade, each... **28c**

### Cotton Satinette

Yard-wide colored Cotton Satinette in pink, peach, white, helio, and black. 89c value, yard... **39c**

### Radioux Chiffon

—in mill remnant lengths. In plaids, checks and stripes, for Spring wear. Guaranteed colors. \$1 value, yard... **69c**

### Part-Linen Crash

Unbleached Part-Linen Toweling with blue border. For kitchen towels, etc. Yard... **12c**

### 50c Bath Towels

Heavy double-thread Terry Towels, bleached and in 22x44-inch size. Green or blue border. Each... **38c**

### Bedspreads

Light-weight crinkle tropical Spreads; 72x90-in. size. Blue, gold or rose stripe; seconds. Each **\$1.00**

Basement Economy Store

Save on This Offering of

## \$2.75 Crepe Satin

Special, Yard... **\$1.86**

€ 40-inch all-silk Crepe Satin of pure dye quality. In pink, peach and other shades. Used for dainty garments which require washing. Also several dark colors for street dresses.

### Flat Crepe

—with slight irregularity in the weave, which will not affect the wearing quality; white only; \$2.50 grade; yard... **\$1.49**

### \$1.39 Slip Cloth

35-inch rayon fabric with satin-like finish. In the best light and dark colors; yard... **98c**

### \$1.00 Printed Silk Foulard, yard...

\$1.00 Wash Satin; 36 inches wide; yard... **\$1.50**

### \$2.98 Georgette

Heavy quality Georgette Crepe for dresses, etc. Black and a number of best colors. **\$1.98**

### \$1.69 Messaline

35-inch silk Messaline in chestnut brown only. Splendid for slips and dresses. Offered at, yard... **\$1.00**

Basement Economy Store

Men's

€ Imported Fabric made to fit correctly sizes in this group.

€ You reap the special purchases two-trouser styles, smart w is certain to m carefully tailor appeal.

Two-trouser blue serge or single or dou sleeve lining

—is being extended not usually obtain payment, paying t

Women's Wa  
Hosiery

\$1.25 to \$2.50 V  
Clearing at

**\$1**

€ Attractive wool-cashmere Hose, also lot of silk-an Hose, the majori black. 742 pairs in regular and extra si one style or another

85c to \$1.15 H

Clearing at... **69c**

Women's full-fashione rayon-mixed and f weave Hose. Black a ors. Sizes broken, bu ular and extra sizes lot.

Knit We

\$1.75 to \$1.95 V  
Clearing at

**\$1.39**

€ 1600 Undergarment cluding women's children's union suit women's vests and b ers.

Cotton, silk, rayon wool-mixed garment various styles.

Cle

50c and 75c

Clearing at, Pair... **2**

In this group are thread silk Half I pairs fiber-mixed H and 600 pairs flow weaves and pattern and colors in the lot.

Golf Hos

Clearing men's \$2.1 all-wool imported G fancy and plain styles —all sizes at, pair...



## Infants' Dresses

\$1.29 to  
\$1.50 Values. 95c

Philippine handmade  
Dresses in several dainty  
styles. Trimmed in many  
pleasing ways.

Basement

## Men's Fabric Gloves

\$1  
Value.... 69c

Imported Fabric Gloves of excellent quality—and  
made to fit correctly; choice of brown or gray—all  
sizes in this group.

Main Floor

## FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in  
Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

Largest Distributors of Merchandise  
at Retail in Missouri and the West

## \$2.50 to \$3.98 Silks

Clearing at  
the Yard.... \$1.66

A wide assortment of fashionable weaves—crepe de  
chine, taffeta, tub silks, charmeuse, faille, bengaline  
and mixed weaves—in black and colors. Third Floor

An Exceptional Choice of Correctly Styled Two-Trouser  
Suits and Overcoats

\$40, \$45 and \$50 Values—Offered at

\$34

You reap the benefit of one of this Dominant Store's special  
purchases by selecting from this varied assortment of  
two-trouser Suits and Overcoats. The up-to-the-minute  
styles, smart woollens and diversity of patterns and shades  
is certain to meet your approval and as all garments are  
carefully tailored, the special price of \$34 carries an added  
appeal.

Two-trouser Suits in single and double breasted styles—of plain  
blue serge or cheviot or patterned weaves. The Overcoats are  
single or double breasted—in various models—with silk yoke and  
sleeve lining.

## The Ten-Payment Budget Plan

Is being extended on these suits and overcoats though this charge service is  
not usually obtainable on \$34 garments; under it you buy with a small cash  
payment, paying the balance in ten weekly payments.

Second Floor

"January" Brings This Unusual Selection of Latest  
\$395 to \$550 Fur Coats

—Secured in a Special Purchase and Offered at

\$365

True elegance is embodied in every one of these handsome Coats—utility  
and dressy kinds which those of fastidious tastes will recognize as unusual  
values at \$365. Coats of leopard, platinum and coco caracul, Jap weasel, ko-  
linski-dyed squirrel and Hudson seal (dyed muskrat)—all skins matched in  
a way found only in the better fur Coats.

Contrasting pelts trim the majority of  
these Fur Coats and all are beautifully lined

These Fur Coats Also Secured in This Special Purchase

Fur Coats

\$195 to \$225 Values

\$165

Coats of marmot, silver or natural rat, plat-  
inum caracul paw, kid caracul and sealine  
(dyed coney); some are plain, others con-  
trastingly trimmed.

Fur Coats

\$150 to \$175 Values

\$125

Sports and dressy Coats of natural rat,  
natural opossum, coco caracul paw and seal-  
line (dyed coney)—gracefully correct in every  
line. Fourth Floor

Women's Warm  
Hosiery\$1.25 to \$2.50 Values  
Clearing at

\$1

Attractive wool-mixed  
cashmere Hosiery, also a lim-  
ited lot of silk-and-wool  
Hose, the majority in  
black. 742 pairs in all—  
regular and extra sizes in  
one style or another.

85c to \$1.15 Hose

Clearing  
at..... 69c

Women's full-fashioned list,  
rayon-mixed and fancy  
weave Hose. Black and  
colors. Sizes broken, but reg-  
ular and extra sizes in the  
lot.

Main Floor

## Knit Wear

\$1.75 to \$1.95 Values  
Clearing at

\$1.39

1600 Undergarments, in-  
cluding women's and  
children's union suits and  
women's vests and bloom-  
ers.

Cotton, silk, rayon and  
wool-mixed garments;  
various styles.

Third Floor

## Undermuslins

—Should Be Supplied in This Sale

Silk Wear

\$8 to \$39.50 Samples

At a  
Savings  
of..... 1/2

Envelope chemises, bloomers,  
gowns and step-in drawers of  
various silks; plain, embroid-  
ered and lace-trimmed kinds.

\$1.25 to \$1.50  
Wear

Gowns, step-ins, bloom-  
ers and envelope che-  
mises of cotton. Various  
styles. Special..... 93c

Handmade Wear

\$1.95 Value, \$1.00

White and colored cotton  
Gowns and Chemises with  
hand embroidered and colored  
hand-drawn threads.

Handmade Wear

\$1.95 Value at

\$1.29

Hand-embroidered shadow-  
proof batiste slips; also en-  
velope chemises to match.  
Sizes 36 to 44 in the assort-  
ment.

Extra-Size  
Gowns

—of flesh, peach or or-  
child plisse crepe—in  
sleeveless style. \$2.95  
value; special..... \$1.73

Crepe Bloomers.

\$1.50 Value, 89c

Flesh-colored cotton Crepe  
Bloomers—many of "Knick-  
erneck" make—and all fitting  
snugly. Third Floor



In a Sale—Spring and Summer

## Wash Dresses

—Very Exceptional Values at

\$5.44

When you see these advance Spring and Summer  
models of charming, well-tailored Dresses you will  
want several—some have Porto Rican drawwork and  
there are many styles, patterns and colors.

Of silk pongee, radioux chiffons, prints  
rajah foulards and silk-mixed weaves.

Third Floor

Outstanding Groups in the Annual January

## Sale of Linens

Now in Progress—With Exceptional Savings

Pattern Cloths

At a  
Saving  
of..... 20%

A group of odd lots and dis-  
continued lines of pure line  
damask Tablecloth, splen-  
did qualities and many beau-  
tiful patterns. Choice of 2,  
2 1/2 to 3 yard sizes—\$4.45 to  
\$16.95 values.

\$3.95 Spreads

Crinkled Spreads in rose  
or blue stripes; \$2.95  
\$1x105-in. size.

"Bangor" Sets

\$9.95  
Value..... \$6.75

Table Sets of pure Irish  
linen—satin-finished damask  
with hemstitched finish;  
\$6x66-inch cloth, six napkins.

Rayon Spreads

\$7.95  
Value..... \$5.95

The very effective and pop-  
ular rayon Spreads—lus-  
trous in appearance, and fin-  
ished with scalloping, choice  
of old rose, Copen blue, gold  
or orchid—\$1x105-inch size.

59c Huck Towels

All-linen Towels of du-  
rable quality; 12x24-  
inch size;  
hemmed..... 45c

Linen Sets

\$3.95  
Value..... \$2.59

Imported linen crash break-  
fast or luncheon Sets in blue,  
pink, gold or lavender bor-  
dered effects. Third Floor

Venetian  
Glassware

\$1 to \$25 Values

Clearing at  
Savings of

1/3

Many colors and pieces  
of desirable Glassware in-  
cluding candle holders,  
vases, candy jars, com-  
potes, fruit bowls, cande-  
labra and other popular  
articles.

Various gifts might  
well be chosen from  
this clearing group.

Fifth Floor

Three-Heat  
Electric  
Irons

\$6.75 Value

\$3.95

The popular "Waage"  
three-heat control Electric  
Flat Irons in six-pound  
size, with attached stand.  
Very dependably con-  
structed.

\$57.50 Electric Fireless  
Cookers..... \$38.50  
\$15 Electric Faucet Water  
Heaters..... \$7.50  
\$6.50 Soldering Irons, \$3.75  
\$6 Cream and Sugar Sets, \$2.95  
\$1.35 Electric Toasters, 95c  
Odd Lot Trays..... Less 25%  
Basement Gallery

## Normandy Lace Pieces

At Very Important Savings

A clearance of dainty and attractive Normandy  
Lace pieces—with batiste inserts; 6 to 15 inch  
sizes—oval, round or square—for trimmings,  
dobbies or pillowtops.

\$5.95 to \$7.50 values, \$4.95  
\$4.95 values..... \$3.95  
\$2.95 values..... \$1.95

\$1.95 values..... \$1.00  
75c values..... 40c  
59c values..... 39c

Third Floor

## Clearing Men's Hose

50c and 75c Hose

Clearing at,  
Pair..... 29c

In this group are 560 pairs  
thread silk Half Hose, 784  
pairs fiber-mixed Half Hose,  
and 600 pairs Hose in fancy  
weaves and patterns. Black  
and colors in the lot.

Golf Hose

Clearing men's \$3.50 to \$5  
all-wool imported Golf Hose in  
fancy and plain styles  
—all sizes at, pair..... \$2.25



Men's Silk Hose

Clearing  
at..... \$1.00

47 prs. \$5 Silk Hose

216 prs. \$3 Silk Hose

135 prs. \$2.50 Silk Hose

114 prs. \$2.50 Fancy Hose

432 prs. \$1.75 Silk Hose

Silk Hose

\$1 and \$1.25  
Values..... 59c

461 pairs men's pure silk half  
Hose and also 609 pairs men's  
imported Hose of very fine,  
fancy lace weaves—all sizes to  
the assortment—but not in ev-  
ery style.

\$2.50 Golf Hose

Men's Onyx all-wool, listle and  
silk-and-wool Golf Hose in  
plain and patterned  
effects; clearing, pair..... \$1.25

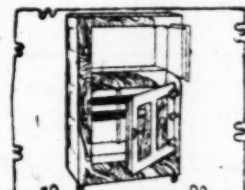
Main Floor

## Clearing Refrigerators

Discontinued Floor Samples

At a Saving of

20%



A wide assortment of  
several nationally known  
makes—various sizes and  
models. Porcelain or white enamel lined.  
Limited group.

Other Clearance Offerings

Samples Folding Fire Screens..... Less 25%  
Discontinued Sample Gas Ranges..... Less 25%  
Discontinued Sample Kitchen Tables..... Less 25%  
Discontinued Lots of Aluminumware..... Less 50%  
Copper Pudding Molds..... Less 50%  
Entire Line Sewing Stands..... Less 33 1/2%  
Entire Line Fancy Waste Paper Baskets..... Less 33 1/2%  
Entire Line Flower Baskets..... Less 33 1/2%  
\$5.75 Universal Aluminum Percolators..... \$4.24  
\$3.95 Universal Aluminum Percolators..... \$2.98

Basement Gallery

Never Have Such Savings Been Accorded on Popular  
"Raleigh" Brunswicks

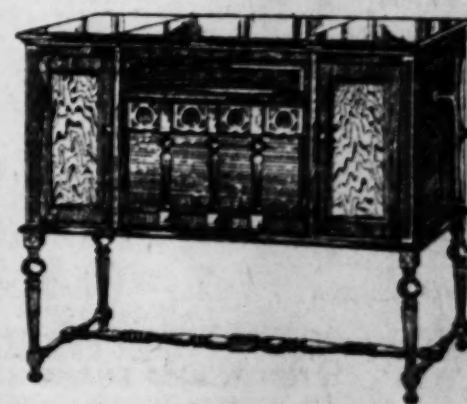
Heretofore \$180—Now

\$99

When you consider how splendidly these re-  
nowned models of Console Brunswick repro-  
duce and how extremely you may now save on  
them, your selection will be prompt. Models  
with Adam brown mahogany or American wal-  
nut finish.

Terms of \$10 Cash Payment  
and \$5 Monthly, If Desired.

Music Salon—Sixth Floor



Offering of

## Satin

\$1.86

dyed qual-  
ities. Used  
washing  
masks.

\$2.98 Georgette

Heavy quality Georgette Crepe  
dresses, etc. Black and a  
number of best colors. Splendid  
material, yard..... \$1.98

\$1.69 Messaline

1-inch silk Messaline in chest-  
nut brown only. Splendid for  
suits and dresses.  
Offered at, yard..... \$1.00

\$1.49

\$1.59

Basement Economy Store



**Ice Blocks Gulf of Bothnia.**  
By the Associated Press.  
STOCKHOLM, Jan. 13.—Ice conditions in the Gulf of Bothnia, between Sweden and Finland, are steadily growing worse. Government ice breakers are working at high pressure to assist ships caught in the floes.

## ADVERTISEMENT

## TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA



Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and lustrant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use for only 75 cents. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and lustrant.

## Optical Special

Thursday  
Friday  
Saturday

## Comfort Glasses

Light-weight frames, fitted with deep curved lenses, and examination of your eyes \$4.95 by our Registered Optometrist.

All glasses prescribed in our Optical Department, will be changed, if necessary, within one year without charge.

(Main Floor, South.)

**Nugents**  
The Store for ALL the People

## INQUIRY IS ORDERED ON ROUTES OF BUSES

President Admits People's Company Machines Use Unauthorized Streets.

An admission by President Meade of the People's Motorbus Co. that buses have been operating on streets which the company had no permit to use resulted yesterday in the Board of Public Works ordering the Director of Streets and Sewers Brooks to make an investigation of this practice by the bus company.

Meade's statement was made in an argument by him for permission to change the route of the Easton Wells avenue bus line so that it could use the Wells avenue, instead of Easton, between Hamilton and Hodiamont avenues, and also for authority to run only a part of the buses to the western terminus of the line at Lucas and Hunt road and St. Charles road and have the remainder turn at Hodiamont avenue. He argued that the change in route would improve traffic conditions on the line and said it had been proved since use of Wells avenue started. Edward P. Walsh, an attorney for the United Railways, objected to the change, and action by the Board of Public Service was deferred pending completion of the investigation by Brooks.

When members of the Board of Public Service informed Meade that his company had no authority to make the routing changes, he replied that he had obtained blanket authority from former Director of Streets and Sewers Flisk to make such changes without the city's sanction, pending action by the Board of Public Service.

Action on a request by Meade for permission to change the route of the Lindenwood bus line so that it would traverse Shenandoah avenue from Vandeventer avenue to Kingshighway instead of following Vandeventer avenue was also held in abeyance until Brooks' investigation is made. Objections to the change in route were made by persons owning property on the proposed new route.

## JUNK DEALERS DENY THEY BOUGHT STOLEN BLOCK TIN

After police had exposed a shipping clerk and a chauffeur in connection with the periodical thefts of material from the Great Western Smelting & Refining Co., 4041 Park avenue, Frank Sale, president of the company, yesterday refused to prosecute because the police could not make a case against junk dealers accused of purchasing the stolen property.

"If you can't get the big fellows, I don't want to prosecute anybody," Sale told the detectives. The company had asked for the investigation because between \$2000 and \$10,000 worth of block tin and solder had vanished during four months. Yesterday a shipping clerk for the company and a chauffeur for a hauling company confessed a conspiracy by which they took the material. The chauffeur and solder had vanished during four months. Yesterday a shipping clerk for the company and a chauffeur for a hauling company confessed a conspiracy by which they took the material. The chauffeur and solder had vanished during four months. Yesterday a shipping clerk for the company and a chauffeur for a hauling company confessed a conspiracy by which they took the material.

## 32-Inch Fine Dress Gingham

10 to 20 yard lengths of fine quality Dress Gingham—come in various size checks and plaid effects, yd. **14c** (Bargain Basement.)

## New Rayon Dress Fabrics

32-inch fancy rayons in light and dark colored grounds, printed in bright colored floral and striped designs, also in the wanted plain shades, yard **79c** (Bargain Basement.)



**Wash Goods White Goods Silks**  
**Wool Goods Linens Bath Towels**

## MORE THAN \$100,000 WORTH OF WANTED MERCHANDISE AT BIG SAVINGS!

## 25c Underwear Crepe

30-inch cotton pique, 1 to 10 yard lengths, in an excellent assortment of plain shades. **18c Yard** (Bargain Basement.)

## 22c Plain Chambray

27-inch Chambray, 2 to 10 yard lengths. Comes in light blues and pinks, suitable for shirts, dresses, aprons, etc. **12 1/2c**

## 30c Printed Underwear Crepe

Comes in light grounds, printed in neat floral and stripe patterns; 2 to 10 yard lengths; yard **23c**

## 42-Inch Indian Head Tubing

Genuine Indian Head quality, pure bleached, wonderful wearing qualities in remnant; yard **25c**

## 35c English Prints

New English Prints in stripes and figured patterns, suitable for ladies' and children's dresses, etc. Cut from the bolt, 38 inches wide. Yard **23c**

## 39c Printed Sateen

10 to 20 yard lengths of cotton Sateen in dark ground, neatly printed in colored designs, 36 inches wide; excellent for linings, comfort covers, etc.; yard **27c**

## \$1.39 Cotton Batt

A stretched 3-pound Cotton Batt, made of excellent quality of snowy white cotton. Size 72x90. **95c Each**

## 22c Comforter Cretonne

36-inch Cretonne in light and dark grounds, neatly printed in floral designs, 2 to 10 yard lengths. **14c Yard** (Bargain Basement.)

## 39c Shirting Madras

32-inch Shirting Madras in light grounds with neat checks and stripes, 2 to 10 yard lengths; yard **27c**

## 22c Canton Flannel

27-inch unbleached cotton Canton Flannel in 2 to 10 yard lengths. Suitable for diapers, etc.; yard **12 1/2c**

## Bleached Turkish Towels

Excellent quality snow-white bleached, neatly hemmed. Extra special bargain, yard **12 1/2c**

## 8000 Yards Silk Remnants

In Three Groups  
Silk Remnants  
2000 yards of all-silk and silk-mixed fabrics in new wanted weaves and colorings for dresses, lingerie, linings, etc. 1 to 4 yard lengths. **88c**

## Silk Remnants

1200 yards of beautiful all-silk fabrics; included are crepe de chine, Georgetown, radium, etc.; 1 to 4 yard lengths. **\$1.28**

## Silk Remnants

1300 yards of gorgeous all-silk crepe de chine, Canton, satin crepe, crepe satin, printed crepe and many others in good length for dresses, lingerie, and many other purposes. Yard **\$1.48**

## Silk Remnants 1/2 Price

1300 yards of brocade velvete, embroidered Canton crepe, printed crepe and embroidered taffeta; 54 inches wide, in dress patterns of 1 1/2 to 2 1/4 yards each. (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

## \$3.50 Colored Stripe Krinkle Bed Sets

In different colors of rose and blue, 78x105 in. including bolster; scalloped and cut corner. Very special, a set **\$2.39**

## 75c Colored Border Table Damask

Very fine quality mercerized Damask. Beautiful patterns; 85" and 64" inches wide. With pretty colored borders. Very special **59c**

## BLANKETS 1/2 PRICE

About 800 pairs of fine quality Blankets; manufacturers' samples, mill accumulations, and Blankets from our own stock that have been soiled from handling. Every pair reduced to one-half regular price.

## \$3.98 Plaid Blankets

Extra fine quality, heavy-weight, in beautiful plaid combinations; 64x78 size; shell stitched ends. Special, pair **\$2.00**

## \$6.95 Wool-Mixed Plaid Blankets

Extra heavy fluffy warm Blankets in plaid designs 66x90. Some have cotton sateen binding; pair **\$3.50** (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

## 76x90 Unbleached Sheets

Unhemmed, excellent quality unbleached sheeting, guaranteed full width; exceptional bargain; each **78c**

## 36-Inch Bleached Muslin

Fine quality, close weave, snow-white bleached, cut from the bolt, yard **12 1/2c**

## 39c Shirting Madras

32-inch Shirting Madras in light grounds with neat checks and stripes, 2 to 10 yard lengths; yard **27c**

## 22c Canton Flannel

27-inch unbleached cotton Canton Flannel in 2 to 10 yard lengths. Suitable for diapers, etc.; yard **12 1/2c**

## Bleached Turkish Towels

Excellent quality snow-white bleached, neatly hemmed. Extra special bargain, yard **12 1/2c**

## 2000 Pairs Ruffled MARQUISSETTE CURTAINS

With Colored Ruffles  
Crossbar marquisette, light and airy looking, with that touch of blue, rose or gold ruffles; tie-backs to match; popular Curtain for most any room. Pair **77c**

## Grenadine and Voile Ruffled Curtains

1850 pairs. Never before have we been able to offer such values. Slight misweaves is the reason that we have grouped this marvelous lot for this price. White or colored ruffle styles are to be had. Seconds of \$2.50 and \$3.50 quality, pair **\$1.95**

## Seconds of \$1.50 to \$1.95 Lace Curtains

Discontinued patterns and in 1, 2 and up to 4 kinds of patterns, all finished with the new overlock edge and made of double thread yarn. Plain or detached figured Curtains come in white or beige color. Pair **88c**

## 1500 Pairs Ruffled Scrim Curtains

Made of durable quality plain scrim. Some all white, others with colored ruffles. Just the Curtains for bedrooms, bath rooms. Will launder perfectly; pair **55c**

## 75c Figured Drapery Gauze

36 inches, high luster finish. Just the material for drapes or caement curtains, assorted range of patterns; yard **49c**

See Our Other Ads on Pages 7 and 11

## The New Nugents

The Store for ALL the People

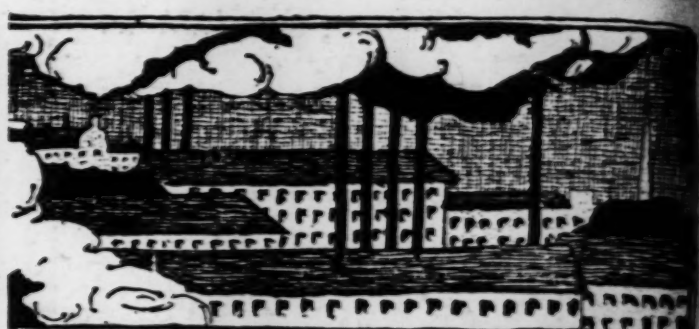
## BARGAIN BASEMENT SEMI-ANNUAL SALE MILL REMNANTS AND SURPLUS STOCKS

## Corduroy Remnants

36-inch velvet finish cotton dress Corduroy. For dresses, robes, children's wear, etc. 1 to 5 yd. lengths, yard **49c** (Bargain Basement.)

## Chenille Corduroy

36-in. velvet-finish cotton Corduroy in beautiful chenille designs; for dresses, robes, etc. Mill remnants 1 to 5 yard lengths, yard **69c** (Bargain Basement.)



**Toweling Bedspreads Sheets**  
**Muslins Sheeting Pillowcases**

## SHEETS!! At Very Big Savings

81x90 Seamless Sheets  
Snow-white bleached of good quality sheeting. With nice wide hems. No seam. Each **89c**

## 72x90 Bleach Sheets

Excellent quality bleached, no starch or filling. With nice wide hems. Special **\$1.00** each

## 63x90 Bleach Bed Sheets

3/4 of standard quality, same grade as Pepperell; full size for twin or three quarter beds. Each **\$1.15**

## High-Grade Bed Sheets, Seconds

Extra special, these are all extra qualities in all different sizes from 54x90 to 81x90. Marked at **1/3 Off** (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

## 30c Huck Toweling

Extra fine quality plain and fancy huck Toweling. Pure bleached in remnant of 1/2 to 5 yard lengths; extraordinary bargain; yard **18c**

## 60c Mercerized Damask

Excellent quality snow-white bleached, extra fine mercerized finish; 58" inches wide, in remnant, all desirable lengths. Very special, yard **39c**

## 54x90 Utica Sheets

Branded Oneida because of slight mill imperfections. High-grade heavy snow white bleached. Special **\$1.10 Each** (Bargain Basement.)

## 22c Part-Linen Toweling

Good heavy quality full bleached with fast-colored borders. Full width. Very special; yd. **15c**

## 20c Part-Linen Tea Towels

Made of excellent quality part linen unbleached crash toweling, with colored borders; 16x22; with loops for hanging; a dozen, **12 1/2c**; each **1c**

## 25c Red Border Huck Towels

Excellent quality huck, 17x33. Neatly trimmed, fast-colored borders. Very special; each **15c**

## 32.25 Ripplette Bed Sets

Extra fine quality genuine Ripplette weaves, 81x90 size in rose, blue and hells. Scalloped and cut corners. **\$2.69 A Set** (Bargain Basement.)

## 1000 Stamped Indian Head Women's Dresses

The name stamped on selvage, guaranteed fast colors and in the most wonderful assortment imaginable. **89c**

## Stamped Shadow Batiste Gowns

Attractive patterns on white, yellow and blue shadow batiste. Special **69c**

## Stamped Crepe Gowns

Two pretty patterns stamped on excellent quality cotton crepe, in pink and honeydew **95c**

## Stamped Tea Towels

Six neat designs stamped on excellent quality toweling. Each **15c**

## Stamped Gingham Children's Dresses

Several attractive designs stamped on gingham and crepe gingham. Each **49c** (Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

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Over 30 original  
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Colds

tube to  
Makes your  
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Easy to use  
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THAT'S Valetaria Service  
It's not mere ironing  
We shape every garment  
special process built for  
real work. And the result  
shows the difference.

Let us have your suit  
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ADVERTISING

The Best Cough Syrup  
Is Home made

Here's a new way to cure  
have been enough medicine  
ever tried.

You've probably heard  
well-known plan of making  
syrup at home. But have you  
used it? Thousands of families  
world over, feel that they can't  
keep home without it. It's  
ple and cheap, but the way  
hold of a cough will soon be  
permanent place in your home.

Into a pint bottle pour 2 1/2  
of Flax; then add plain granu-  
lar sugar syrup to fill up the  
if desired, use clarified  
honey, or corn syrup, instead  
syrup. Either way, it tastes  
better, spicier, and gives you a  
of better cough remedy than  
could buy ready-made for  
times its cost.

It is really wonderful how  
this home-made remedy cures  
coughs in 24 hours or less.  
It penetrates through every  
passage, soothes the inflamed  
throat, breaks the mucus  
and drives out the bacteria  
of throat, bronchitis, croup,  
asthma and whooping cough.

Flax is a highly nourishing  
source of good food. It is  
used for centuries for  
throat and chest ailments.  
To avoid disappointment, be  
sure you get the correct  
directions, and don't accept any  
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are sure you are getting the  
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600 Pairs  
Black Satin  
Pumps—  
Straps—Ties—  
Formerly Priced  
Up to \$16.50  
NOW  
**\$7.00**

Over 30 original  
and exclusive  
styles. Come now.

## KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY FOR Colds

Get a  
tube today,  
and nose feel fine.  
Easy to apply  
Quick to act  
TRY DRUG STORE FIRST  
30c and 60c per tube

## KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY

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CLOTHES PRESSED AND  
SHAPED TO FIT YOUR  
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THAT'S Valetaria Service.  
It's not more ironing!  
We shape every garment on  
special presses built for  
special work. And the result  
shows the difference.  
Let us have your suit for a  
Valetaria pressing—your own  
collar will convince you.

Man's Suit Cleaned, \$1  
Morgenthaler  
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**Valetaria**

## ADVERTISEMENT

The Best Cough Syrup  
Is Home made

Here's an easy way to cure a cough  
and have best cough medicine  
you ever tried.

You've probably heard of this  
well-known plan of making cough  
syrup at home. But have you ever  
used it? Thousands of families, the  
world over, feel that they could hard-  
ly keep house without it. It's sim-  
ple and cheap, but the way it takes  
hold of a cough will soon earn it a  
permanent place in your home.  
Into a pint bottle pour 2 1/2 ounces  
of Pinex; then add plain granulated  
sugar syrup to fill up the pint. Or,  
if desired, use clarified molasses,  
honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar  
syrup. Either way, it tastes good,  
never spoils, and gives you a full pint  
of better cough remedy than you  
could buy ready-made for three  
times its cost.

It is really wonderful how quickly  
this home-made remedy conquers a cough—  
usually in 24 hours or less. It seems  
to penetrate through every air passage,  
loosens a dry, hoarse or tight cough, lifts  
the phlegm, breaks the membrane, and  
gives almost immediate relief. Splendid  
for throat tickle, hoarseness, croup, bron-  
chitis and bronchial asthma.  
Pinex is a highly concentrated com-  
bination of genuine Norway pine extract,  
and has been used for generations for  
throat and chest ailments.  
To avoid disappointments ask your  
druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex with  
sugar" and don't accept anything else.  
Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction  
or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft.  
Waller, Ind.

## ADMITTS ATTEMPT TO KILL FRIEND'S ALLEGED SLAYER

Young Sicilian Held After  
Unsuccessful Attack  
With Pistol and Hatchet  
in Hotel Vestibule.

SHOOTING IN HERRIN  
STARTED FEUD

Prisoner Tells of Tracing  
Man He Accused of  
Firing Shots and Finding  
Him at Work Here.

The first confession ever gained  
by the police here from a partici-  
pant in an Italian feud was made  
to Capt. Francis Nally of the Carr  
Street District last night by Joseph  
Bommarito, 23 years old, of 1430  
Cora avenue.

Bommarito, a short, stocky Sic-  
ilian, admitted in a signed state-  
ment that he had assaulted John  
Dunlop with an automatic pistol  
and hatchet in the vestibule of the  
Drake Hotel at Seventh and Mor-  
gan streets at 5:15 a. m. yesterday  
and had attempted to kill him to  
avenge the death of a friend Dun-  
lop successfully fought him off and  
routed him with his own hatchet.  
"He killed my friend," Bommar-  
ito told detectives who arrested him.  
"Why should I not kill him? I  
had sworn that I would have his  
life."

**Killed in Fight.**  
The enmity of Bommarito dates  
back to Oct. 16, 1924, when Dun-  
lop was a miner in a camp at Free-  
man's Spur, near Herrin, Ill. On  
that day he became involved in a  
general pool hall fight. Almost  
everybody carried a pistol in Wil-  
liams County in those days and  
many shots were fired. Dunlop  
was shot twice in the shoulder.  
Dominic Brizi, Bommarito's closest  
friend, was killed. Dunlop was ex-  
onerated of blame by a Coroner's  
jury.

"Brizi and I had been friends in  
Palermo," Bommarito told a Post-  
Dispatch reporter today. "After  
his death I began to plan the death  
of Dunlop. At that time I lived in  
St. Louis but I made many trips to  
Herrin, hoping to get Dunlop when  
he left the hospital."

Bommarito said he never had  
seen Dunlop but knew from friends  
that it was a shot fired from his  
pistol that killed Brizi. Dunlop at  
the time had been a semiprofes-  
sional baseball pitcher and Bom-  
marito obtained his photograph in  
a baseball uniform to study his  
features so that he would know  
him.

"Somehow or other he got away  
from Herrin," Bommarito related,  
"and I was told he had moved to  
St. Louis and was working in a  
restaurant. I looked over the em-  
ployees of dozens of places and fin-  
ally found him on Eighth street."

**Traced Him to Herrin.**  
"As yet I was not sure of his  
identity. I followed him from  
work and learned he lived at the  
Drake Hotel. During the Christ-  
mas holidays I learned Dunlop had  
gone to visit his family in Herrin.  
I went there and saw that the  
man who worked in the restau-  
rant here was really Dunlop. Then  
I began to plan for his death."

Yesterday morning Bommarito  
met Dunlop in the hotel vestibule,  
covered him with the automatic  
and ordered him to hold up his  
hands. Dunlop saw him pull a  
hatchet from a pocket and put up  
a fight in which he routed his as-  
sailant.

He recalled having seen Bom-  
marito at the home of Samuel Loni  
at 1430 Cora avenue. Sunday night  
Detectives arrested Mrs. Bommar-  
ito, 17 years old, yesterday after-  
noon, and later took her husband  
Loni. It developed, was a friend of  
Dunlop at Herrin and had warned  
him an oath had been taken  
against his life. Bommarito has  
been a roomer in the Loni home  
but Loni declared he did not know  
he was the agent of the vendetta  
against Dunlop.

Because Bommarito carried the  
hatchet, he will be questioned to-  
day in the murder of the boot-  
legger, Coligro Lopiccolo, whose  
hatched body was found Dec. 27  
in an alley at 1135 North Eighth  
street. Bommarito has told de-  
tectives that he had bought whisky  
from Lopiccolo, but declares he  
knew nothing of his murder.

## MAN WHO IGNORED SUBPENA AS WITNESS IS SENT TO JAIL

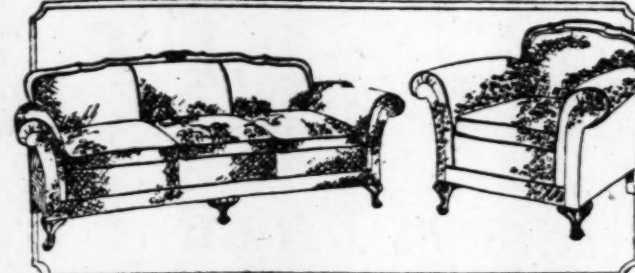
David Gabriel Sentenced to 48  
Hours After Explaining He  
Was Visiting in De Soto.

David Gabriel, of 219 Geyer ave-  
nue, who failed to appear as a  
witness on subpoena yesterday in  
Circuit Judge Frey's court, today  
was sentenced to 48 hours in jail  
for contempt of court when he ap-  
peared before Judge Frey and ex-  
plained that he was visiting an  
aunt in De Soto, Mo.

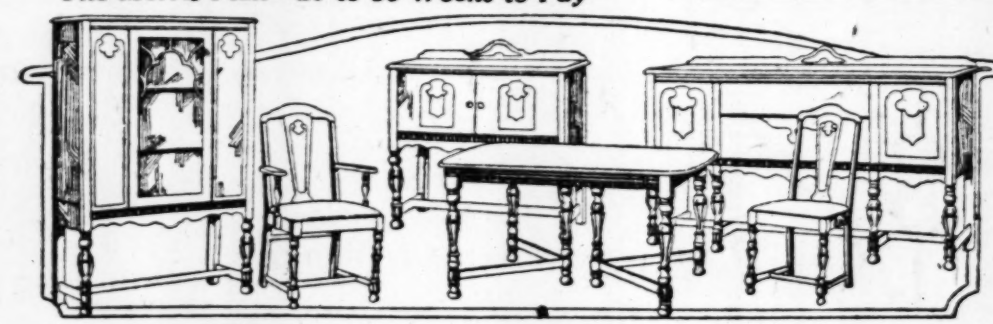
Gabriel, his sister, Miss  
Marie Gabriel, were witnesses in a  
minor felony case which was con-  
tinued from Monday until yester-  
day. His sister also failed to ap-  
pear yesterday, and was not in  
court today. Gabriel denied they  
had been persuaded to stay out of  
court.

## The New Nugets The Store for ALL the People

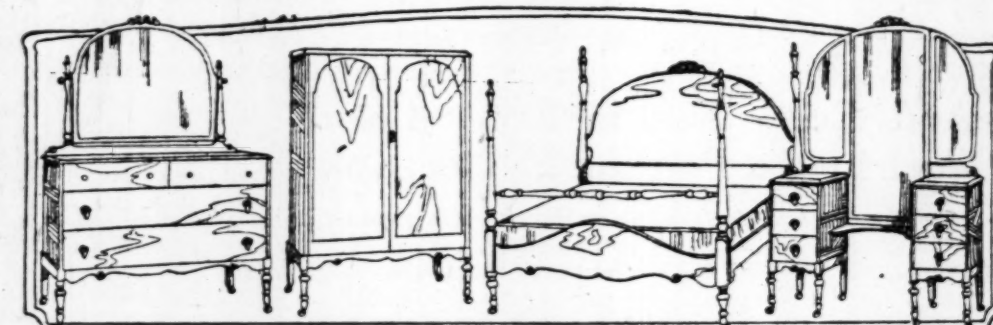
une purchasing power obtained price concessions where manufacturers were heavily stocked or desirous of affiliating with the National Department Stores.



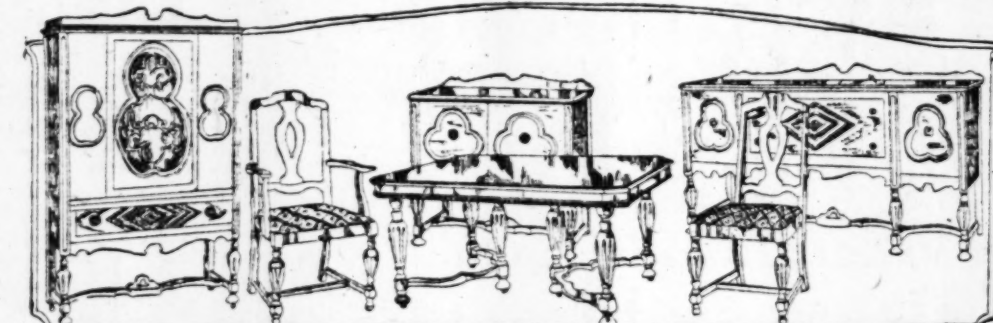
Living-Room Suite  
Plain mohair 2-piece Living-  
Room Suite, web bottom, hand-tied  
springs. Nachman spring-filled  
cushions, all-moss construction;  
\$249.00 value, for...  
**\$199.00**  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay



8-Piece Dining-Room Suite  
Combination walnut and gum, American finish.  
60-inch buffet, table and six chairs. \$133 value  
for...  
9 Pieces, \$153.00 10 Pieces, \$169.00  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$99.75**



4-Piece Bedroom Suite  
4 pieces, choice of American or French  
walnut finish, combination walnut and gum.  
\$300.00 value for...  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$241.00**



9-Piece Dining-Room Suite  
Combination walnut and gum 9-piece Dining-Room  
Suite with 66-inch board, burled walnut veneers, buffet,  
table, china closet and six chairs. \$325 value, for...  
The Server Is... \$40.00  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$252.50**



Dresser  
Combination walnut and  
gum Dresser, dustproof top  
and bottom,  
finished in-  
terior.  
Large plate  
mirror \$42.50  
value, for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$34.75**



Metal Bed  
Full or twin size Metal  
Bed in walnut  
finish. \$10.75 value  
for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$7.65**

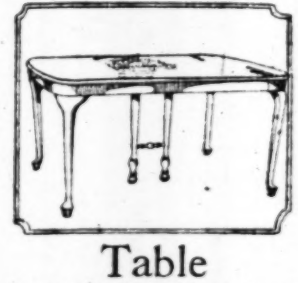
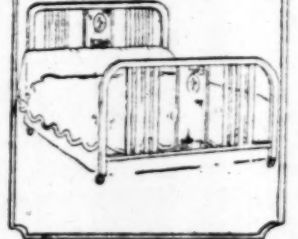


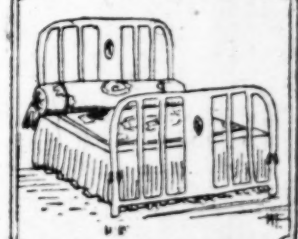
Table  
Dining-room Table—Queen  
Anne design, combination wal-  
nut and  
gum.  
\$45.00  
value  
for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$34.00**



Metal Bed  
Walnut finish Metal Bed,  
square tubing with cane  
panel, full  
or twin  
size. \$24  
value  
for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$18.75**



Chair  
Cogswell Chair, with Nach-  
man filled spring seat, spring  
back, ve-  
lour or tape-  
stry cover.  
\$48.00 val-  
ue, for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$37.95**



Metal Bed  
Metal Bed in walnut finish  
with cane  
panel, full or  
twin size.  
\$16 value  
for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$11.75**

## FEBRUARY Furniture Sale

Our February Furniture Sale opens Thursday morning at nine o'clock. Preparations for this event started months ago. Our buyer traveled to every furniture center of America, to highways and byways where furniture factories were located, seeking values in quality furniture that measured up to our standard. Spot cash and vol-



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cent down payment and 25  
to 50 weeks in which to pay  
the balance.  
Ask the Salesman About  
This Plan



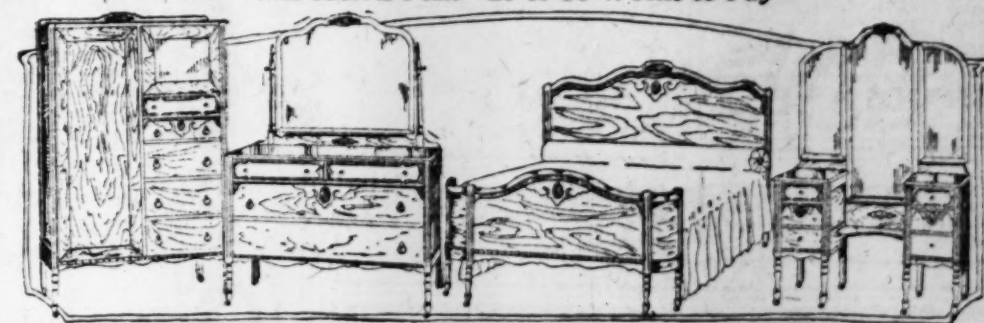
Living-Room Suite  
Two-piece carved Living-Room  
Suite, mahogany-finished frame,  
plain mohair cover, web bottom,  
moss construction; \$325.00 value,  
for...  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$269.00**



4-Piece Bedroom Suite  
Combination walnut and gum four-piece Suite,  
American walnut finish, mahogany drawer bot-  
toms, full dustproof construction.  
\$265 value for...  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$218.00**



9-Piece Dining-Room Suite  
Nine-piece combination walnut and gum  
Dining-Room Suite, extremely attractive,  
high-grade Suite, buffet, china, table and six  
chairs, velour-covered seats. \$259 value for...  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$207.00**



4-Piece Bedroom Suite  
Four-piece combination walnut and gum, ma-  
hogany drawer bottoms, dustproof top and bot-  
tom, two-tone American walnut finish.  
\$220 value for...  
The Morris Plan—25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$169.75**

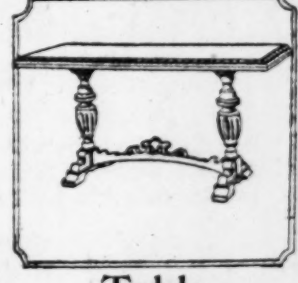
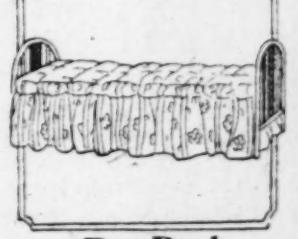
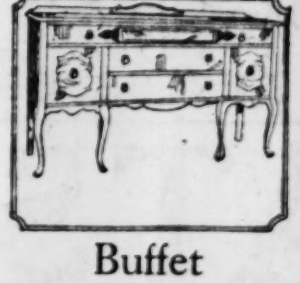


Table  
Davenport Table in combi-  
nation mahogany and gum;  
60 inches  
long.  
\$49.00  
value for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$41.50**



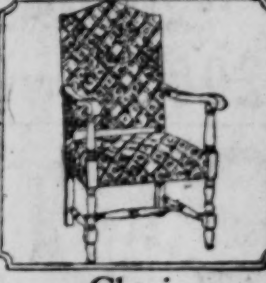
Da-Bed  
One-piece spring Da-Bed,  
walnut ends, including felt  
mattress,  
space for  
bedding.  
\$50 value  
for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$39.75**



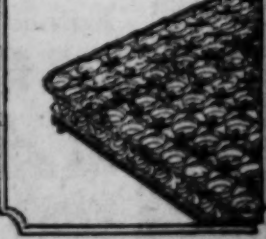
Buffet  
60-inch walnut and gum  
combination  
Buffet, \$52.50  
value for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$42.50**



Mattress  
60-pound all-layer felt  
Mattress, closely tufted im-  
perial  
edge.  
\$18.50  
value  
for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$14.75**



Chair  
High-back Chair in  
choice of  
tapestry  
or velour,  
\$23 value  
for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
**\$14.75**



Springs  
Best-Rite coil Spring dou-  
ble-deck coil Springs, 36  
year guar-  
antee.  
\$19.75  
value for...  
25 to 50 Weeks to Pay  
(Nuggets—Fourth Floor, North.)  
**\$14.75**

Chenille  
Corduroy  
36-in. velvet-finish cotton  
Corduroy in beautiful chenille  
designs: for dresses, robes,  
etc. Mill  
remnants.  
1 to 6 yard  
lengths, yard...  
**69c**  
(Bargain Basement.)



beds Sheets  
Pillowcases

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At Very Big  
Savings

Sheets  
quality sheeting.  
Each...  
**89c**

81x99 Pepperell  
Sheets  
Branded another name be-  
cause of slight  
imperfections.  
With nice wide  
hem. Special...  
**\$1.25**

Sheets, Seconds  
extra qualities  
90 to 81x99.  
**1/3 Off**  
(Nuggets—Bargain Basement.)

\$3.50 Ripplette  
Bedspreads  
In three beautiful colors  
of rose, blue and helio.  
Genuine ripplette, the kind  
that needs no ironing. 72x  
90 size. Special.  
**\$1.69 Each**  
(Bargain Basement.)

\$1.50 Linen Table  
Damask  
64 and 68 inches wide, silver  
bleach in beauti-  
ful patterns. Cut  
from bolt, yd...  
**\$1.00**

40-Inch Heavy  
Unbleached Muslin  
Standard quality, excellent  
weave. Made of  
one staple cotton.  
Cut from bolt, yd...  
**13 1/2c**

29c Fancy Flannellette  
36-inch 2 to 10 yd. lengths of  
cotton Flannellette, comes in  
small  
lateral designs. Well  
bleached and a soft  
quality.  
yard...  
**15c**

\$3.25 Ripplette  
Bed Sets  
Extra fine quality genu-  
ine Ripplette weave, 81x104  
size in rose, blue and helio.  
Scalloped and cut corners.  
**\$2.69 A Set**  
(Bargain Basement.)

1000 Stamped  
Indian Head  
Women's Dresses

The name stamped on selv-  
ge guaranteed fast colors and  
the most wonderful assort-  
ment imaginable.

**89c**

Shadow Batiste Gowns  
terms in white, yellow and  
late.  
**69c**

d Crepe Gowns  
terms stamped on excellent  
sleeve, in pink  
**95c**

ed Tea Towels  
terms stamped on  
each...  
**15c**

ingham Children's  
Dresses  
terms stamped on  
each design.  
**49c**  
(Bargain Basement.)



Cardinal Mercier Out of Danger.  
By the Associated Press.  
BRUSSELS, Jan. 13.—Cardinal  
Mercier continues to improve after  
his recent operation, and is now  
considered out of danger.

## ADVERTISEMENT

## COLDS THAT DEVELOP INTO PNEUMONIA

Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for persistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of persistent coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Creomulsion Company, Atlanta, Ga.

## ADVERTISEMENT



## Lose Fat without this effort

Exercise and diet, carried to extremes, reduce fat. But the way is hard and sometimes harmful. So countless people have adapted the easy, pleasant way, the modern, scientific way.

You can see the results in every circle now. Slenderness is common. More and more, excess fat is becoming the exception. This easy way is Marmola Prescription Tablets. Just take four a day. No abnormal exercise or diet is required. Reduction is gradual—rarely more than one pound daily. So the body adjusts itself to the new condition. Wrinkles don't develop.

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**The Pleasant Way to Reduce**  
**MARMOLA** Mail for  
2-235 General Motors Bldg. 25c Sample  
DETROIT, MICH. **Free**

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## GENERAL ELECTRIC REPLIES TO ATTACKS

Company Denies It Controls  
Water Power of Country or  
Is a Monopoly.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The General Electric Co. in a letter to its stockholders, made public today, denied that it controls the water, power and light industries of the country; that it is a great monopolistic interest or gigantic trust, and that it is controlled by J. P. Morgan & Co.

The letter signed by Owen D. Young, chairman of the board of directors, and Gerald Swope, president, is in reply to certain moves made against the company in Congress.

The Senate, on Feb. 9, 1925, directed the Federal Trade Commission to report to the Senate to what extent the General Electric Co. monopolizes or controls the production, generation, or transmission of electric energy in restraint of trade or commerce and in violation of the law.

Statements in the Senate that the company controls the water power of the country as well as the light and power business are answered with the statement that the company does not own any water power, nor has it stock control of any company owning water power.

As to light and power, the letter states that the company does not, either directly or indirectly, own the control of any light and power company and that the total holdings of the General Electric, directly or indirectly, in the light and power securities of the country are approximately one-half of 1 per cent of the total issues.

Denying that it is a great monopolistic interest and a gigantic trust the company points to the census figures for 1923. These figures show that the company's output that year was approximately \$271,310,000 or 21 per cent of the total output of electrical manufacturers.

## OPERA SINGER AND DIRECTOR FREED AS MURDER SUSPECTS

Deferre and Spadini Were in Cafe  
in Front of Which Chicago  
Gangster Was Shot.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Desire Deferre, baritone of the Chicago Civic Opera Company, and Giacomo Spadini, assistant director, today explained the circumstances of their arrest in connection with Chicago's latest gang murder and their subsequent release when it developed they did not even know a shooting had occurred.

But before the facts were disclosed, the two men had spent all of the eight hours behind the bars along with a number of other suspects. Deferre, a Belgian, and Spadini, an Italian, were frequent visitors at the restaurant in front of which Henry Spingola was shot and killed Sunday night. That evening they were in conversation with the chef about their dinner when someone whispered to the chef something about the killing.

While the two men were being brought to the police station, Spadini's State's Attorney, whose wife belongs to a prominent Italian family in Chicago, was listening to the various conversations. In a short time their identity and their innocence had been made clear and they were released.

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Flare and straightline models of satin, flat and Canton crepes with long and three quarter sleeves; high and low waistlines; boat and V necks; attractively trimmed; come in wanted colors.

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Black silk-and-wool Crepe; an ideal dress fabric, 40 inches wide, a yard, \$1.25  
Canton Crepe in orchid, emerald, Copenhagen, sandalwood and brown, 40 inches wide, yard, \$1.49  
A lot of heavy mixed 54-inch Coatings for women's, misses' and children's wear, a yard, \$1.00  
(Downstairs Store.)



### Clearing 1480 Pairs Women's Shoes At \$1.00 Pair

Low Shoes in patent, tan, satin and suede with high and low heels; strap and Oxford styles; soiled from handling; sizes 3 to 8 in the lot but not in every style.  
(Downstairs Store.)

### January Clearing of Wool Stockings At 25c Pair

Women's and children's part-wool Stockings in full-length and 3/4 styles; broken lots.  
A group of men's cotton Socks; small sizes only, assorted colors and black, a pair, \$1.20  
A lot of women's silk Stockings; counter soiled, broken sizes and colors, pair, \$1.20  
Odd lots of children's mercerized Stockings in assorted colors; not all sizes, pair, \$1.20  
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### 58-Inch Table Damask Special, 39c Yard

A lot of bleached mercerized Table Damask is offered in the Clearing Sale at this exceptionally low price. Come in new designs; 58 inches wide.

Silk-Mixed Crepes  
At 25c Yard  
Very fine quality silk and cotton plisse underwear crepes in solid canary color only.

36-Inch Tubings  
At 19c Yard  
Bleached Pepperell Mills Pillowcase Tubing in 36-inch width; 500 yards to sell.

Bath Mats  
At \$1.19 Each  
Dark-colored heavy Turkish Bath mats; these are seconds, but splendid values.

Terry Cloth  
At \$1.00 Yard  
A very good bathrobe material; woven black and gold designs; comes in the 60-inch width; seconds.  
(Downstairs Store.)

### Special Value-Giving in This Group of Corsetalls, Corsets, Girdles

69c

The Corsetalls are of fancy striped materials in side-front fastening styles; boned across the front; elastic gores in skirt; good assortment of sizes.

The Corsets are of plain pink coutil, front-laced models, in medium bust styles; lightly boned; broken sizes.

The Girdles are of plain pink coutil and fancy striped materials, in medium and short lengths; good size assortment.



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wide choice of patterns and sizes.

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Reduced  $\frac{1}{2}$

Discontinued lines of men's  
Suits and Topcoats, chiefly small  
sizes. Most of the Suits come  
with narrow bottom trousers.  
Topcoats include cloth and knit-  
ted fabrics in darker shades.

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Reduced  $\frac{1}{2}$

A varied assortment of broken  
lines of men's Trousers. Majority  
have narrow bottoms. These  
Trousers were taken from our  
regular stocks and are mostly in  
small sizes.

(Men's Section—Fourth Floor.)

### New Metropolitan Opera House.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Definite  
plans for financing and building a  
new Metropolitan opera house on a  
site controlled by Otto H. Kahn,  
president of the Metropolitan  
Co., has been drawn up by Kahn.  
It was said \$10,000,000 had been  
offered for the present Metropoli-  
tan Opera House block. The site  
for the new opera house is between  
Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh  
streets and Eighth and Ninth ave-  
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## NAVY PLANS NEW DIRIGIBLE, LARGER THAN SHENANDOAH

Willbur, Before House  
Committee, Urges Ex-  
penditure of \$6,000,000  
for Big Craft.

WOULD CUT 86,000  
PERSONNEL 4000

Reorganization Program In-  
cludes More Money for  
Heavier-Than-Air Flying  
Facilities.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Rea-  
lignment of the nation's naval air  
defenses, including construction of  
a new and larger dirigible to re-  
place the wrecked Shenandoah, is  
contemplated in the adminis-  
tration's navy program now taking  
shape in Congress.

The reorganization would be ac-  
companied by economies in other  
branches of the naval service, in-  
cluding a reduction of navy enlist-  
ment personnel from \$6,000 to \$2,000  
and withdrawal of a number of  
warships from active duty.

The House Appropriation Com-  
mittee also has decided there is no  
present need of maintaining the  
Lakehurst naval air station, whose  
only dirigible, the Los Angeles, now  
is laid up in her hangar. In re-  
porting today the naval appropria-  
tion bill, the committee suggested  
that by closing down the station  
the cost of its maintenance could  
be reduced from \$1,716,000 to  
\$125,000. Such a step is not fa-  
vored by the Navy Department,  
which has suggested that if the  
station were closed, a separate ar-  
rangement would have to be made  
to take care of the Los Angeles.

Ford Plans Under Consideration.  
The appropriation for naval avia-  
tion would be increased under the  
bill to permit the Navy Department  
to carry out a policy of expansion  
of heavier than air facilities, al-  
ready approved by it.

No recommendation for a new  
dirigible is contained in the supply  
measure as reported, but today the  
Naval Committee heard testimony  
by Secretary Willbur and other de-  
partment officials indorsing con-  
struction of such a craft at a cost  
of \$6,000,000. The ship would  
have about three times the gas  
capacity of the Shenandoah.

It was disclosed also that the  
department has before it plans by  
the Airship Development Corpora-  
tion, backed by Henry Ford, to  
build a much smaller all-metal  
navy airship, but Willbur said there  
had been no decision whether the  
projected craft should be of the  
Shenandoah or metal-covered type.  
The department expects to ask for  
an additional \$200,000 for experi-  
ments with metal dirigibles.

**Other Conclusions.**  
The Secretary told the Naval  
Committee that the Navy General  
Board regarded lighter-than-air  
craft as still in the experimental  
stage, doubted their military value,  
and opposed any experiments  
which would curtail "needed types  
of war craft, such as scout cruisers  
or fleet submarines." The board  
agreed, however, that for experi-  
mental purposes the Shenandoah  
should be replaced.

Regarding the much discussed  
question of the efficiency of the  
naval air service, the Appropria-  
tions Committee in reporting the  
naval appropriation bill declared a  
"very gratifying situation" had  
been found in this service, although  
line officers should have more in-  
struction in aviation, and provision  
should be made to supply the  
greater number of trained pilots in  
emergencies.

The Appropriations Committee  
left it to the Navy to decide which  
warships should be retired. It  
pointed out that Great Britain now  
maintains on active duty only a  
part of her potential fleet.

### BELLEVILLE TRACTION AND BUS FARES WILL BE 10 CENTS

Increase Authorized by Federal  
Court Effective Jan. 24, Com-  
pany Announces.

Announcement is made in Belle-  
ville that the East St. Louis &  
Suburban Railway Co., which also  
operates the city lines in Belleville,  
will increase its fare from 7 to 10  
cents on street cars and busses, ef-  
fective Jan. 24.

The increase, according to the  
company's announcement, is made  
because returns under the 7-cent  
fare have not taken care of the  
operating expense. The new rate is  
established, the company says, un-  
der authority of a decree of the  
United States District Court. The  
10-cent fare will apply to all trips  
on city lines and as far west on  
Main street as Voellinger Station.  
The proposed increase in fare  
on city lines was attacked by mem-  
bers of the City Council, recently,  
when city lines was attacked by  
members of the City Council re-  
solved to oppose the proposal. Whether  
the Council will make any official  
effort to prevent a fare increase,  
Mayor Anton could not say yester-  
day.

### TWO MUST DIE FOR MURDERS

Nevada Supreme Court Sustains  
Sentences of Death by Lethal Gas.

By the Associated Press.  
CARSON CITY, Nev., Jan. 13.—  
Two Nevada slayers must die by  
lethal gas as a result of a decision

of the State Supreme Court yes-  
terday which sustained their sen-  
tences of death.

The condemned men are Stanko  
Jukich and Guadalupe Acosta. Both  
are in death cells at the Nevada  
State prison. Jukich shot and  
killed Jennie Madek, 16-year-old

girl of Ruth, Nev., a year ago. He  
said he had a contract with the  
girl's parents whereunder she was  
to marry him. He averted she shot  
the girl when the bargain was can-  
celed. Acosta killed Deputy Sheriff  
Charles Lewis of Elko when he  
tried to arrest Acosta for being  
drunk.

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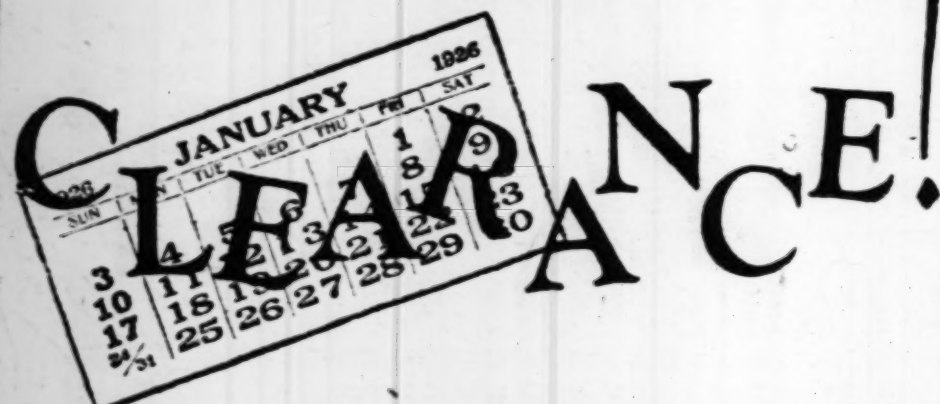


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INSURANCE TRIALS  
DELAYED 30 DAYSPolicyholders Get Injunctions  
and Company Is Allowed  
Time for Appeal.By Staff Correspondent of the  
Post-Dispatch.SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 12.—  
Trial on their merits of the suits  
of three groups of policyholders of  
the Illinois Bankers' Life Association  
to prevent the directors from  
transforming the insurance com-  
pany from a mutual assessment  
plan company to an old line com-  
pany was halted in Federal Court  
here yesterday by appeal of  
the company from temporary in-  
junctions granted by Judge Fitz-  
Henry.The injunctions were granted to  
groups of Michigan and Illinois  
policyholders and enjoin the direc-  
tors from any further steps with  
their plan of reinsurance and for-  
bid their voting proxies they now  
possess or seeking any further  
proxies. The directors have been  
granted 30 days in which to per-  
fect an appeal on jurisdictional  
grounds.The suit at 11 St. Louis policy-  
holders asking for the appointment  
of a receiver, the ousting of the di-  
rectors and an accounting of their  
use of the company's funds, re-  
mains in status quo pending deci-  
sion of the appeal. In the other  
cases, Judge FitzHenry had con-  
solidated the three cases for pur-  
poses of trial.All three groups of policyholders  
allege that the directors' reinsurance  
plan was a scheme to divert  
the \$5,000,000 assets of the com-  
pany to a new company in which  
they had set themselves up as sole  
owners. It further is alleged that  
the directors propose after organi-  
zation of the new company, to sell  
it out to the old line company for  
a commission of \$750,000 or \$150,-  
000 each.EAST ST. LOUIS WAREHOUSE  
DESTROYED IN \$75,000 FIRESix Companies Fight Blaze in  
Three-Story Frame Building  
Filled With Railroad  
Supplies.A fire of undetermined origin  
last night destroyed the three-story  
warehouse occupied by the Elliot  
Frog and Switch Co., 301 South  
Main street, East St. Louis. A. J.  
Bruggen, cashier for the company,  
estimated the damage at from \$75,-  
000 to \$100,000. Of the damage  
\$8000 is to the building. The loss is  
covered by insurance.The flames were discovered near  
the point of entrance of several  
power lines by John Folan and  
August Vien, watchmen. Three  
alarms brought all six companies  
of the East St. Louis Fire Depart-  
ment.The wooden building, 100 by 125  
feet, was so far gone that when the  
firemen arrived two companies  
were ordered to safeguard a row of  
frame residences to the east. Panes  
of glass in buildings across the  
street were melted. Five barrels of  
machine oil, stored in the building,  
exploded, sending flames 40 feet  
above the top of the walls. The  
materials stored in the warehouse  
consisted of bolts, castings, extra  
machinery, plates and equipment  
for railroad trackage. Two other  
buildings of the factory, situated  
nearby, were not damaged.FRENCH COURT LIKELY TO GIVE  
MRS. VALENTINO A DIVORCEState Attorney Says Wife of Movie  
Star Has Right for Action  
Under Law.Copyright 1926 by the Press and Publi-  
cations Co., New York World  
and Post-Dispatch.  
PARIS, Jan. 13.—Rudolph Val-  
entino's divorce case is now before  
the Tribunal of the Seine and con-  
trary to the usual procedure, de-  
tails of what happened were made  
public.The State Attorney reported the  
case to the court yesterday, saying  
that Mrs. Winifred de Wolfe Val-  
entino did not lose her American  
citizenship when she married the  
movie star, who is an Italian.  
Therefore, he contended, she has  
a right under French law to a di-  
vorce according to the statutes of  
the State, Indiana, where they  
were married. Desertion and re-  
fusal to return to the home they  
established are the grounds.PLEADS GUILTY AFTER BEING  
IDENTIFIED AS A ROBBERDavid Burke, 24 years old, who  
gave his address as 2724 Papin  
street, pleaded not guilty of rob-  
bery and went to trial before a  
jury in Circuit Judge Mix's Court  
yesterday. Then Charles E. De  
Has, who conducts a confectionery  
at 6032 Manchester avenue, iden-  
tified Burke as one of two men  
who held him up in the store, Jan.  
2, 1925, and escaped with \$39.50.  
This testimony seemed to re-  
fresh Burke's memory and he  
changed his plea to guilty, being  
sentenced to five years in the peni-  
tentiary.U. S. Sympathy for Mexicans.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Am-  
bassador Sheffield has been in-  
structed by Secretary Kellogg by  
cablegram to inform the Mexican  
Government of the profound re-  
gret felt in this country for loss of  
life and flood damages in Nayarit  
State, Mexico. Kellogg's instruc-  
tions said: "You will please inform  
the Minister for Foreign Affairs  
of the profound regret with which  
the news has been received in this  
country of the loss of life and dam-  
age by floods in the State of Nayarit,  
and express the sympathy felt  
here for the Government and peo-  
ple of Mexico in this disaster."  
Some reports say more than 1000  
persons lost their lives and that  
14½ inches of rain fell in three  
days.We Give  
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and Redeem  
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heels.

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Sizes 6 to 12 \$4.50

Men who work outdoors or whose  
feet chill easily will appreciate  
these extra warm wool felt lined  
Shoes made with leather soles, rub-  
ber heels, leather foxing and felt  
tops. Specially priced \$4.50.CHILDREN  
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to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages ofConstipation Wind Colic To Sweeten Stomach  
Flatulency Diarrhea Regulate BowelsAids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and  
Natural Sleep without OpiatesTo avoid imitations, always look for the signature of  
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.The POST-DISPATCH is the only St. Louis evening  
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Fourth & St. Charles

Announce

## Inspection Days

## Thursday, Friday, Saturday

During these three days you are cordially invited to come in and saunter  
through our stocks and inspect the many new and beautiful suites and odd  
pieces of furniture that await your selection. You will not be urged to buy  
during these three days, but we advise early selection so as to receive the bene-  
fit of the very best values offered in our

## Semi-Annual Furniture Sale

which starts Monday, January 18th. Everything in stock has been reduced  
at least 10%—nothing is held back—the average reduction is about one-fourth  
—Suites and individual pieces for the living room, dining room and bed-  
room, hall and den—in fact, all furniture in our store, nothing excepted, is  
reduced

10% to 50%

## Extended Payments

During our Semi-Annual Furniture Sale we will al-  
low you to pay as little as one-fifth cash, balance in  
ten equal monthly payments. Or, two per cent dis-  
count for all cash in ten days.STOP IT NOW IF  
CATCHING COLDSThe time to stop a cold is in the  
beginning—at the first sign of it.  
A cold always warns you.  
It's folly not to act.  
Millions immediately take the  
remedy, then promptly go to bed.  
In some cases out of ten all traces  
of the cold have disappeared when  
morning comes.  
It is worth while, therefore, to  
have lemons handy for the be-  
ginning. The effectiveness of  
lemons is due to more than  
one factor.  
Just squeeze the juice of a lemon  
in a glass or cup of hot water. Add  
a dash of sugar. If you have  
a dozen lemons now and have  
them prepared. Ask for California le-  
mons, the tart, juicy, practically seed-  
less kind.STOP CROUP IN  
15 MINUTESCroup usually comes suddenly—at night  
without warning. Be prepared.  
The danger usually closes throat at one  
time and the child is unable to breathe.  
This often brings relief in 15 min-  
utes. For 35 years, the quickest know-  
ledge of you have children, get a bot-  
tle of this time-tested remedy—Dr. Drake's  
Cough-From your drug store—only 50c.Schaper  
6th & Washington

## UNDERWEAR

Women's, children's and boys'  
broken lots of Union Suits and  
two-piece garments which  
sold up to \$4.00; sold;  
on sale

## LONGCLOTH

36-inch soft-finished Long-  
cloth in light colors, ex-  
tra special at

## FLOORCOVERING

The value, comes in patterns of  
hardwood, black and tile, 2 yards  
wide. Subject to slight misprints  
which do not affect the wearing  
quality. In quantity  
pieces up to 10 yards.  
Thursday only, at 25c

## UNION SUITS

Men's heavy flannel and random  
mixed Union Suits  
which sold up to \$3;  
broken lots, on sale

## FLANNEL SHIRTS

Men's wool and cotton-mixed shirts  
in brown, gray and  
blue; \$2.00 value; on  
sale \$1.39

## 25c Cups and Saucers

Large white  
china coffee  
cups, all  
perfect.  
6 Pairs.  
87c

## PONGEE

54-inch cotton Pongee in colors  
and tan; short lengths;  
extra special

## Satin Messaline

36-inch pure all-silk satin  
Messaline, very special  
at

## \$3 Clothes Winger

Iron frame-  
wood rubber-  
hulls. While  
1000 last.  
\$1.66

## APRONS

Ladies' Rungless Aprons  
in all colors and sizes.  
Special (Basement)

## Women's Garments

Dresses, Coats and  
Suits, choice  
(Basement)  
Values up to \$15.00

## Women's Shoes

High and low  
Shoes; values up  
to \$2.50; choice.  
50c

## BLANKETS

Large double-bed size  
Dark Blue: \$1.00 val-  
ue, special (Basement)A postal will bring one of the  
new or women seeking employment  
under attention wanted in today's  
Post pages.



## ADVERTISEMENT

STOP IT NOW IF  
CATCHING COLD

The time to stop a cold is in the beginning—at the first sign of its coming. A cold always warns you, and it's folly not to act. Millions immediately take hot lemonade, then promptly go to bed under warm covers. In some cases out of ten all traces of the cold have disappeared when morning comes. It is worth while, therefore, to have lemons handy for the best preventive that millions know—hot lemonade. The effectiveness of the lemonade is due to more than its heat. Just squeeze the juice of a lemon in a glass or cup of hot water. Add sugar if you wish. Get a dozen lemons now and be prepared. Ask for California lemons, the tart, juicy, practically seedless kind.

## ADVERTISEMENT

STOP CROUP IN  
15 MINUTES

Young usually comes suddenly at night without warning. He prepared to be taken to the hospital, but when he had this situation's prescription, which often brings relief in 15 minutes, he was home in 15 minutes. It is a 30-year-old remedy. The quickest known cure for Croup, Colds and Whooping Cough. If you have children, get a bottle of this time-tried remedy—Dr. Drake's Cough Syrup—from your druggist. Only 50c a bottle.

Lowest Prices Our Chief  
Attraction

**Senaner STORES CO.**  
6th & Washington

**UNDERWEAR**  
Women's children's and boys' broken lots of Union Suits and complete garments. Suits sold up to \$4.00; sold for \$2.99.

**LONGCLOTH**  
36-inch soft-finished Longcloth in light colors, etc. the special at \$1.99.

**FLOORCOVERING**  
The value comes in patterns of herringbone, block and tile. 3 yards wide. Subject to slight misprints which do not affect the quality. In quantity prices up to 10 yards. Thursday only, 25c.

**UNION SUITS**  
Men's heavy fleeced and random mixed Union Suits, which sold up to \$2.99; broken lots, on sale, \$1.00.

**FLANNEL SHIRTS**  
Men's wool and cotton mixed flannel shirts in brown, gray and blue. \$2.00 value; on sale \$1.39.

**25c Cups and Saucers**  
Large white china coffee cups, all perfect. 6 pairs, 87c.

**PONGEE**  
36-inch cotton Pongee in colors and tan; short lengths; extra special. 15c.

**Satin Messaline**  
36-inch pure all-silk satin Messaline, very special. 95c.

**\$3 Clothes Wringer**  
Iron frame; good rubber rollers. While 100 last, \$1.66.

**APRONS**  
Ladies' long-sleeved aprons in gingham and chambray; special (basement). 49c.

**Women's Garments**  
Dresses, coats and suits choice (basement). Value up to \$10.00. \$1.00.

**Women's Shoes**  
High and low shoes; value up to \$10.00. 50c.

**BLANKETS**  
Large double-bed size wool blankets; \$1.00 value; special (basement). 98c.

A special will bring one of the above or various seeking employment under conditions wanted in today's market pages.

ANOTHER VETERAN  
AIRCRAFT AT SCOTT  
FIELD RESIGNS

Edward R. Boland Quits as  
Result of Recommendations  
of Military Board  
After Recent Inquiry.

Another veteran aeronaut has resigned from the inspection and instruction force at Scott Field as a result of recommendations made by a military board after an investigation of charges that materials used in dirigibles at the field were of inferior quality and incompetently handled. He is Edward R. Boland, who appeared before the board in November as a witness and backed up charges made by Leo Stevens, which the board was then investigating. Stevens' resignation was announced exclusively in the Post-Dispatch Monday and, like Boland's, is effective Jan. 31. "I am retiring from army aeronautics with the conviction that lighter-than-air flying is a failure as far as army purposes are concerned," Boland said today to a Post-Dispatch reporter in commenting on the action of the board. "Like Stevens I am convinced that the present system of administration makes it useless to attempt to develop the lighter-than-air. I am retiring entirely from aeronautics after having worked at the flying game since 1900, and will go into some other business."

Boland entered the army in 1917 as a private and was immediately detailed as instructor because of his previous training as a balloon and dirigible pilot. He left the service with the rank of master sergeant and was retained as a civilian instructor. At Scott Field he was instructor in cordage, rigging and fabric and in addition had the duty of inspecting airships and balloons there. His salary was \$2000 a year, plus an annual bonus of \$240.

"Much of the flying equipment at Scott Field is unsafe and has been for many months past," Boland declared. "It is because of my frequent critical reports, which reflected directly on various officers in the post there, that I came into disfavor."

"The real trouble started when we began to receive defective airship envelopes from the manufacturers. Several of them were in such shape that they could not be flown and many others had defective patches, seams and valves. "One of the real troubles was a defective cement between the Government Bureau of Standards later found was imperfect. In addition there was an incompetent force of repair men employed in the Air Intermediate Depot there, and repairs to envelopes were shoddily made. Frequently envelopes had to be returned for additional work."

"Not only did these conditions make flying equipment a menace to the crews and to the lives and property of anyone over whom the ships were flown, but in addition there was a huge loss of helium gas, which costs between \$15 and \$20 a thousand cubic feet. "My frequent criticisms of the ships was borne out last spring when the bag of the TC-6 ripped while the ship was 1800 feet up, near New Athens. The bag buckled and the airship crashed. The car was wrecked, but luckily none of the crew was injured and no property was damaged."

"I also frequently criticized the TA-3 and TA-4. Both are now torn down for complete overhaul, verifying my statements. The TC-7 also was frequently recommended for repairs and has been patched so much that Stevens declared it looked like a speckled hen."

Threatened by Officer. Boland said that Maj. F. M. Kennedy, one of the three officers on the board of inquiry, threatened him with bodily harm in a time which followed Boland's appearance as a witness. "Maj. Kennedy tried to put testimony into my mouth," Boland said. "I declined to testify except to facts of which I was sure and he twice threatened to throw me through the door of the room."

"It was evident from his actions that he, for one, did not want the truth in the investigation, and I made that statement to the Chief of Air Service in my letter of resignation. The two other officers on the board, Maj. Norman W. Peck and Lt. A. Strauss, were former pupils of mine at Ross Field, Cal."

Resident of Belleville. Boland, like Stevens, lives in Belleville. Stevens intends to move shortly to Florida, where he will complete a book which he is now working, entitled, "My Failure in Aeronautics."

Lieutenant Colonel John A. Paegelow, Commandant of Scott Field, said today he did not care to comment on the charges of Boland and Stevens. He decided he was satisfied with the conduct of affairs at the flying field. His management of the post was praised by Major-General Mason M. Patrick, Chief of Air Service, when here on a recent inspection trip.

Negro Schoolteacher Dies. James S. Thomas, 46 years old, a Negro and teacher in Sumner High School for Negroes, died last night at City Hospital No. 2, where he had been taken yesterday from 3204 Lucas avenue. A physician said he had been treating Thomas for grippe.

THURSDAY  
8:30 O'CLOCK  
SPECIAL

## Men's Hats

Thursday Only—  
Real \$5.00, \$6.00  
and \$7.00 Hats,  
including Berg,  
Mallory and Im-  
ported Italian  
Hats—All New  
Styles Will Go at

**\$3.95**

Our Own  
Good Guarantee  
of 36 Years  
Standing Back  
of Every  
Purchase Made

ANOTHER BIG  
CUT IN PRICES

FOR THE LAST 3 DAYS OF THE

## SCHMITZ AND SHRODER CO.

LOCATED ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF WASHINGTON AV. AND EIGHTH STREET ST. LOUIS, MO.

## GREAT TRADE EXPANSION SALE

A Sensational Thursday Special

## MEN'S 2-PANT SUITS

One lot men's brand-  
new suits; all sizes,  
all models. They sold  
formerly at \$30, and  
will go on sale Thurs-  
day at

**\$18.90**

NOW IS THE TIME FOR QUICK ACTION! THE END DRAWS NEAR! JUST 3 MORE DAYS OF THIS GREAT SALE!

Now for quick action! Now for an extreme effort to dispose of all our surplus stock. Now to make Thursday a record-breaking sales day in our store, with these thoughts uppermost in mind, we have made another cut in prices on all surplus merchandise. The entire store will be ablaze with colored price tags, all telling their story of the sensational bargains that will go on sale Thursday. Come, men, join the crowds! The merchandise is the finest, backed by our own good guarantee of 36 years' trading in St. Louis.

ANOTHER BIG CUT IN PRICES THURSDAY  
MEN'S OVERCOATS

Now is the time for action—we expect to clear these Overcoats Thursday—don't miss this opportunity. All-wool Overcoats. Come!

Thursday—Men's \$25 High-Grade Overcoats Go at... \$10.00  
Thursday—Men's \$30 High-Grade Overcoats Go at... \$13.30  
Thursday—Men's \$35 High-Grade Overcoats Go at... \$23.85  
Thursday—Men's \$45 High-Grade Overcoats Go at... \$33.85  
Thursday—Men's \$55 High-Grade Overcoats Go at... \$43.85  
Thursday—Men's \$65 High-Grade Overcoats Go at... \$48.85

Our usual credit terms Thursday. Come open an account here!

Another Cut in Prices Thursday  
MEN'S PAJAMAS

200 only, regular \$1.75  
men's percale pajamas;  
frog trimming;  
full cut.  
Thursday

**\$1**

An 8:30 Thursday Special  
GENUINE B. V. D.  
UNION SUITS

Regular \$1.50 gen-  
uine B. V. D. and  
Mansie athletic  
Union Suits, Thurs-  
day only at

**95c**

Another Cut in Prices Thursday  
MEN'S SHIRTS

600 men's shirts; collar-attached  
and neckband  
styles. They sold  
formerly at \$1.50  
and \$2.00; some  
slightly soiled.  
Thursday at

**79c**

An 8:30 Thursday Special  
MEN'S HOSIERY

One lot of regular  
35c mercerized Hosi-  
ery, go on sale  
Thursday, per pair,  
at

**19c**

Another Cut in Prices Thursday  
MEN'S DRIVING GLOVES

Lined Gloves that sold  
up to \$5. While they  
last, Thursday, go at

**\$2.93**

Another Cut in Prices Thursday  
MEN'S SWEATERS

Regular \$3.50 men's all-  
wool pull-over sweaters;  
cricket styles—Thursday  
to the early purchasers  
at

**\$1.95**

Time is Short—Buying Must Be Fast  
BOYS' BLOUSES

One lot of Boys' plain blue  
and striped chambray blouses; sizes 4-  
7-8 only. Regu-  
lar price pos-  
sibly 79c; will  
go on sale  
Thursday at

**19c**

Another Big Cut in Prices  
MEN'S UNDERWEAR

\$1.50 B. V. D. Athletic  
Underwear ..... 95c  
\$2.25 Men's Union Suits... \$1.39  
\$2.50 Men's Union Suits... \$1.79  
\$3.00 Men's Union Suits... \$2.19  
\$3.50 Men's Union Suits... \$2.48  
\$4.00 Men's Union Suits... \$2.83  
\$5.00 Men's Union Suits... \$3.29  
\$7.50 Men's Union Suits... \$4.95

THURSDAY SPECIAL  
BOYS' SUITS

Read—Realize—Act—Quick—Profit  
Boys' \$10.00 All-Wool Suits... \$4.00  
Boys' \$16.75 All-Wool Suits... \$9.88  
Boys' \$20.00 All-Wool Suits... \$13.88

Entire Stock Reduced in Price

## BOYS' OVERCOATS

A Sale That Is a Sale  
Boys' \$8.75 High-Grade Overcoats... \$3.00  
Boys' \$10.00 High-Grade Overcoats... \$5.88  
Boys' \$16.75 High-Grade Overcoats... \$9.85  
Boys' \$20.00 High-Grade Overcoats... \$13.88

Stock includes Steadman, Bergs, Mal-  
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sationally reduced.

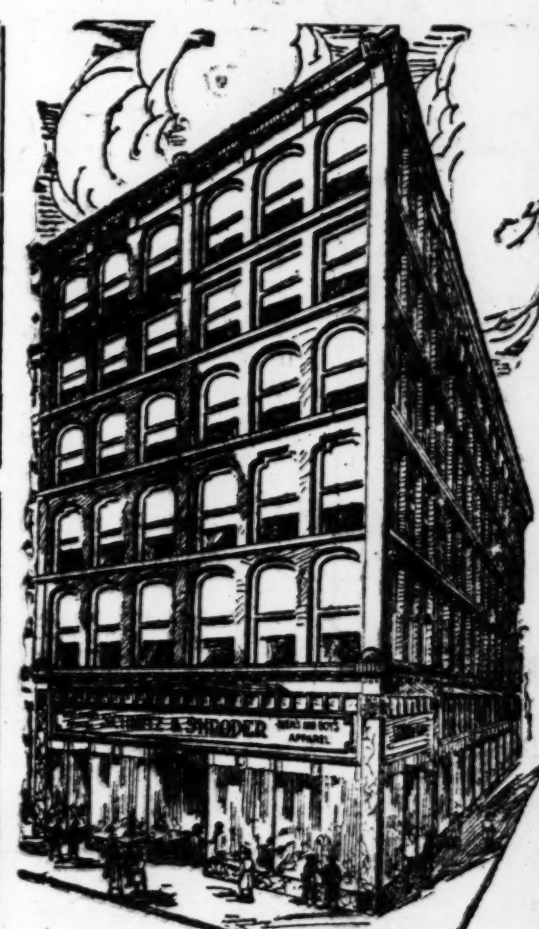
\$2.00, \$3.00 Hats—Thursday... 95c  
\$3.50 and \$5.00 Hats—Thursday... \$1.85  
\$6.00 and \$7.00 Hats—Thursday... \$3.95  
\$10.00 Hats—Thursday... \$8.55

## MEN'S SWEATERS

\$3.50 Men's Sweaters—Thursday... \$1.95  
\$4.00 Men's Sweaters—Thursday... \$2.85  
\$5.00 Men's Sweaters—Thursday... \$3.95  
\$6.50 Men's Sweaters—Thursday... \$4.85  
\$10.00 Men's Sweaters—Thursday... \$7.19  
\$12.50 Men's Sweaters—Thursday... \$8.95

## MEN'S PAJAMAS

THURSDAY SPECIALS  
\$1.75 Men's Pajamas... \$1.00  
\$2.50 and \$3 Pajamas... \$1.83  
\$3.50 and \$4 Pajamas... \$2.95  
\$5.00 Men's Pajamas... \$3.93  
\$1.50 Nightshirts... 95c  
\$2.00 Nightshirts... \$1.48

ANOTHER BIG CUT IN PRICES THURSDAY  
MEN'S SUITS

At Prices That Will Surprise You for Thursday. Time is Short. Buying Must Be Fast. Just 3 Days More of This Great Sale.

Stock Includes Well-Known Brands.

Regular \$25 Men's High-Grade Suits, Thursday... \$10.00  
Regular \$30 Men's High-Grade Suits, Thursday... \$18.90  
Regular \$40 Men's High-Grade Suits, Thursday... \$28.85  
Regular \$50 Men's High-Grade Suits, Thursday... \$38.85  
Regular \$60 Men's High-Grade Suits, Thursday... \$48.85  
Regular \$65 Men's High-Grade Suits, Thursday... \$48.85

The quality of these Suits is the finest. Come early for them.

Another Cut in Prices Thursday  
BOYS' SUITS

With Two Pairs of Knicker-  
suits, sizes 10, 12, 14 and 16  
These suits sold before  
this great sale at \$10.00,  
and will go at less than  
wholesale cost. Thursday  
on sale at

**\$4**

8:30 A. M. Thursday Special  
MEN'S BATHROBES

Men's Beacon blan-  
ket Turkish toweling  
etc. Bathrobes, that  
sold up to \$7.50,  
will go at

**\$3.85**

Another Cut in Prices Thursday  
MEN'S ODD TROUSERS

One lot of men's odd  
Pants, some that sold  
as high as \$7 will go  
on sale Thursday at

**\$1.95**

An 8:30 Thursday Special  
BOYS' OVERCOATS

One lot of boys' Over-  
coats that positively sold  
from \$9.75 to \$14.75, will  
go at our startling price  
of

**\$3**

8:30 O'CLOCK SPECIAL  
From Every Nook and  
Corner of the Store

\$1.00 Men's Wool Mufflers, 59c  
\$1.00 Men's Silk Shirts at... \$1.75  
\$2.00 Tie & Kerchief Sets, \$1.45  
\$7.50 Men's Silk Mufflers, \$4.95  
\$8.50 Driving Gauntlets at \$5.95  
\$7.50 Men's Union Suits, \$4.95  
\$30 Men's Tape coats at... \$15.95  
\$5.00 Corduroy Trousers, \$3.95  
\$3 Men's Caps, Thursday, \$1.95

Hundreds of Articles Not Mentioned

Thursday Morning  
Specials—Boys' Dept.

\$12.75 Boys' Vest Suits... \$8.88  
\$1.00 Boys' Neckband Shirts, 35c  
Arrow Collars, discount, lines... \$5  
\$1.25 Boys' Underwear... 69c  
\$1.25 Boys' Shirts... 88c  
\$2.45 Boys' Wash Suits, \$1.38  
\$5.50 Boys' Slickers... \$2.95  
\$1.25 Boys' Caps... 68c  
\$2.25 Boys' Knickers... \$1.68  
Boys' Lumberjack Shirts... \$4.88

Deep Open Promptly at 8:30 A. M.  
BOYS' HATS AND CAPS

Boys' \$2.00 Hats and \$1.00  
Caps—a broken lot of them.  
They go on sale, while they  
last, Thursday at 8:30 a.m.  
At

**9c**

Another Cut in Prices Thursday  
HEADLIGHT OVERALLS

Genuine \$2.25 Headlight  
Overalls, all sizes. They  
go Thursday at the un-  
heard-of price of

**\$1.95**

The Prices Tell the Story—Come Early  
MEN'S NECKWEAR

Men's regular 50c and 75c  
Neckties; knitted or silk  
open-end four-in-hands  
at less than half price, 4  
for \$1.00; each

**29c**

Another Big Cut in Prices  
MEN'S HOSIERY

35c Men's Hose, at... 19c  
75c Men's Hose, at... 35c  
\$1.00 Men's Hose, at... 69c  
\$1.50 Men's Hose, at... 83c  
\$3.00 Men's Hosiery, at... \$1.85  
\$1.50 Golf Hose, at... 59c  
\$2.00 Golf Hose, at... \$1.29



# Our February Furniture Sale

## Deferred Payment Plan

—a splendid convenience, enabling many more to take immediate advantage of the February Sale offerings.

The Year's Foremost Furniture

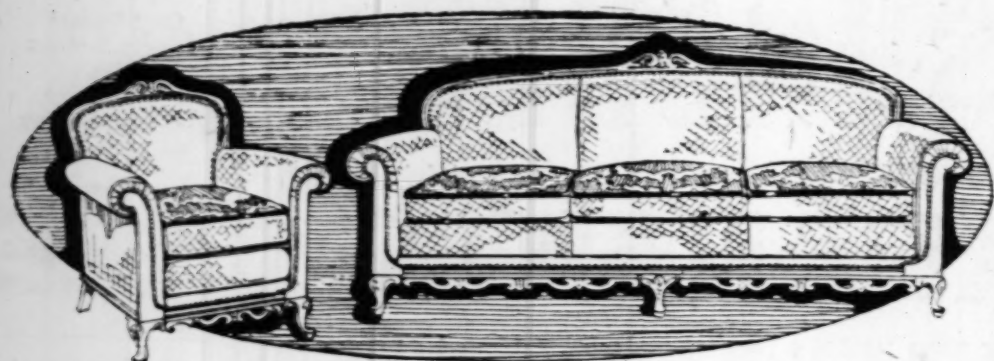
Event In St. Louis—Begins Thursday Morning

Savings of

10% to 50%

## Future Delivery Privilege

—is available to all who do not need their furniture now, but want to take advantage of the sale's remarkable values.

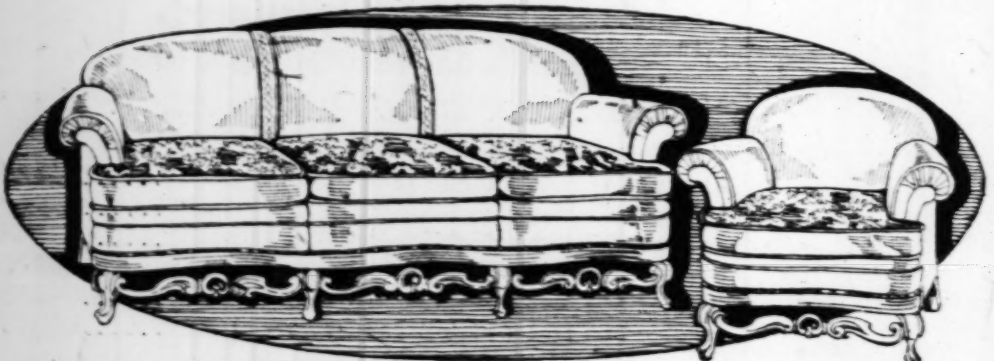


\$400 Mohair Suites

Offered in This Sale at.....

Suites from the widely-known Klyn Studios—built to conform to high standards of construction and artistic design. Two beautiful pieces—chair and davenport, pictured above; with frames of solid mahogany, hand-carved and upholstered of excellent quality taupe mohair, with reversible cushions. Only 100 of them in the February Sale.

\$238

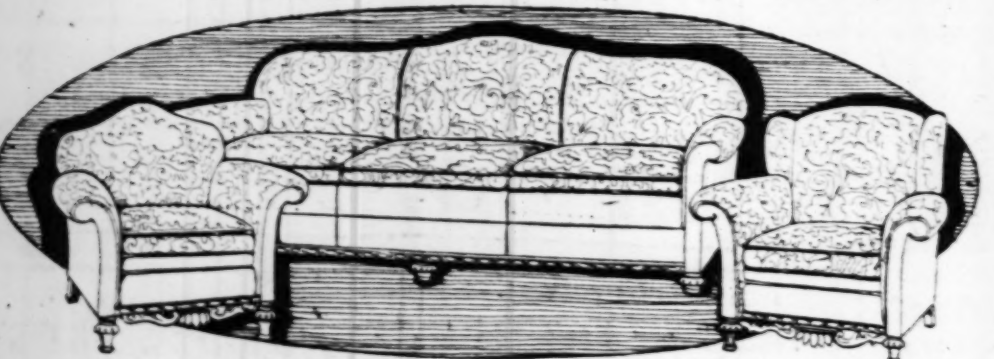


\$390 Mohair Suites

Offered in This Sale at.....

These two pieces express artistry, strength and comfort in every line—and the fact that they are very new in style will further enhance their extraordinary value in the eyes of home-makers. Carving in unusual detail is featured in the frames, and the upholstery is entirely of taupe color mohair.

\$235

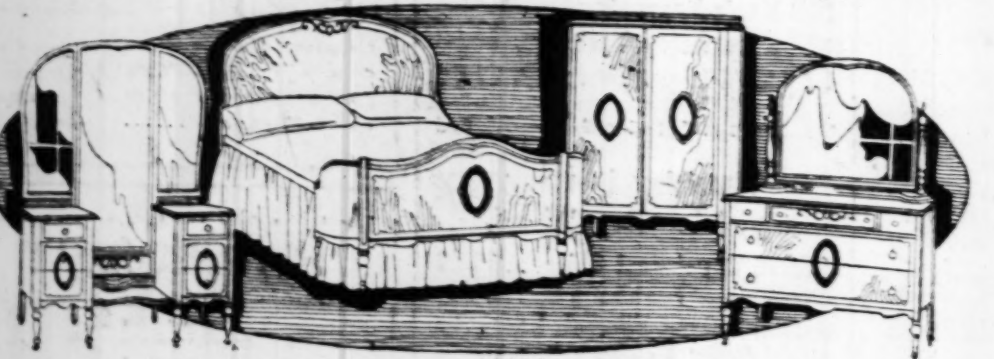


\$290 "Kroehler" Suites

Offered in This Sale at.....

Suites that would be a splendid foundation of living-room comfort. Of celebrated "Kroehler" make—long davenport that opens into a full-sized bed, and wing chair. Bases are pleasingly carved and finished in a rich mahogany tone. Cushions are reversible and all wearable parts are upholstered in mohair.

\$198



\$300 Bedroom Suites

Offered in This Sale at.....

Four-piece Suites in walnut finish—very handsome grain and color tone. Bow-end bed, 48-inch dresser, wardrobe and vanity dresser—each piece well constructed and dust-proof throughout. Those seeking bedroom furniture will at once realize the importance of this group—and many will make one of these Suites their choice. Pieces Sold Separately, If Desired.

\$198

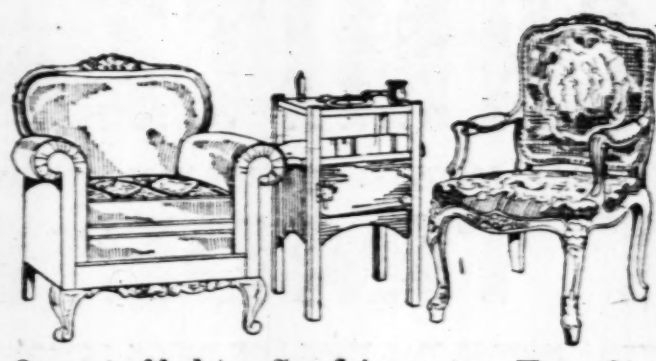
\$52 Double Day-Beds

Offered at

\$34.50



Automatic type Double Day-Beds with cretonne pad, ample space for bedding and walnut finished ends.



Overstuffed Chairs

At a Saving of

1/2

A wide assortment of overstuffed Mohair Chairs with high or low backs and reversible cushions—attractive styles.

Smoking Stands

At a Saving of

1/2

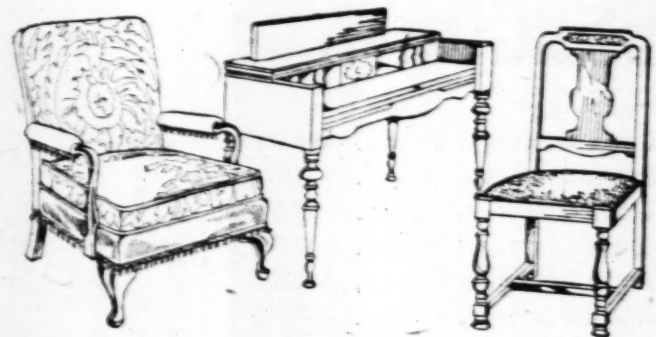
Choice of many styles in this group of Smoking Stands in various sizes and finishes—at 50% saving.

French Furniture

At a Saving of

1/2

Fifty pieces of beautiful imported French Furniture—cabinets, occasional tables and other pieces.



Coxwell Chairs

\$50 Value

\$37.50

Mohair or wool tapestry-covered Coxwell Chairs with loose, removable cushions.

Spinet Desks

\$50 Value

\$24.50

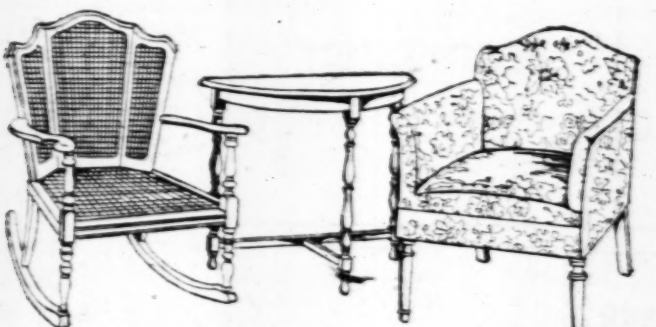
Distinctive Desks of this popular type—built of mahogany and hardwood; unusually roomy.

Dining Furniture

At a Saving of

1/2

Dining Tables; also buffets, china cabinets, serving tables and dining-room chairs.



Chairs and Rockers

\$20 Value

\$12.95

Wing Chairs or Rockers in mahogany finish, with cane seat and back. Very well built.

End Tables

\$5 Value

\$2.45

Mahogany-finished End Tables in half-round style—with heavy legs and strong construction.

Cretonne Chairs

\$20 Value

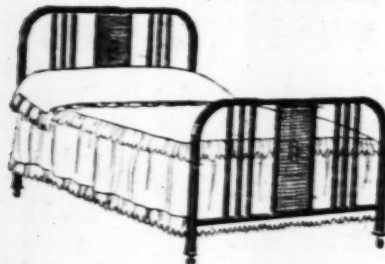
\$12.95

Overstuffed bed-room or sun-parlor Chairs covered with attractive cretonne. Well built.

\$15 Metal Beds

Offered for

\$9.75



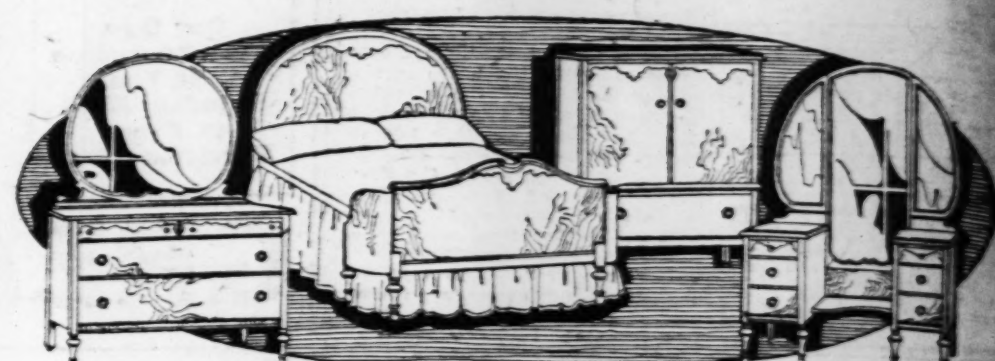
Beautifully finished Metal Beds of the popular square post type, with square fillers and decorative panels of metal cane.

Odd Bedroom Pieces

Choice, at a Saving of.....

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A group of beds, dressers, wardrobes and vanities in many beautiful styles; and finished in most-wanted woods. All pieces of high-grade workmanship; and the majority dustproof.

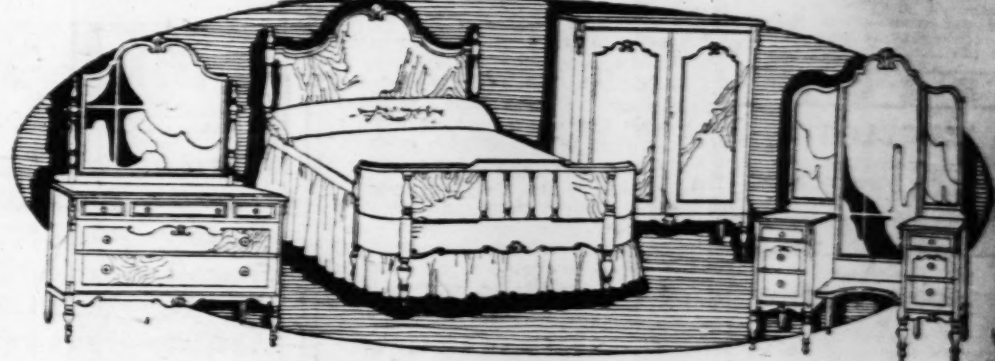


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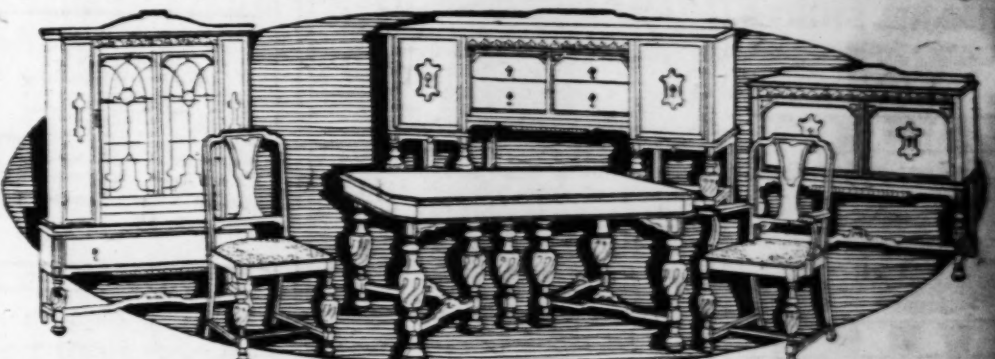


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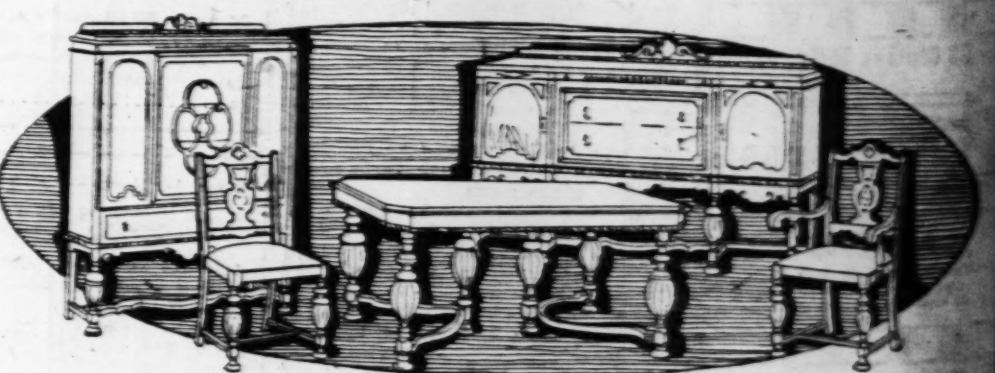
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Nine pieces finished in walnut—66-inch buffet, china cabinet, oblong table that extends to eight feet, five chairs and an armchair. Touches of carving add distinction to the design. Construction is of walnut and hardwood—strong and enduring. The more carefully you inspect these Suites, the more you'll realize their extraordinary value.

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PART TWO.

Changes in Par  
At Reforma  
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Intermediate Reform  
From 18 to 30 Years  
—Other

By a Staff Correspondent of  
Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 13.—Dramatic changes in the parole system at the State Penitentiary, Jefferson City and the State Reformatory at Booneville, and a reorganization of the governing bodies so as to take politics out of the penal institutions, are recommended by the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice. The report read here yesterday afternoon after an exhaustive investigation of pardons, paroles and commutations.

The Legislature is urged to authorize the construction of an intermediate reformatory for offenders between 18 and 30 years of age, and convert the reformatory into "The Missouri Training School for Boys" for boys between 7 and 17 years.

The Prison Board's policy, under which it unconditionally releases all prisoners at the expiration of seven-twelfths of their sentences if their conduct has been considered "satisfactory," is censured. "Parole releases infinitely more desirable than present absolute and final release under the seven-twelfths rule," the association thinks.

"First in Parole Violations." The merit parole system at the reformatory should be changed so that the accumulation of parole points alone will not bring a release, the association holds. Weakness of the Missouri parole system is proved, the association contends, by the fact that Missouri heads the list of states with 4 per cent parole violations.

The report was prepared by F. Kuhlman, assistant operator of the association, and one of ten reports to be released within the next two months. Kuhlman is associate professor of sociology at the University of Missouri, on leave of absence. In compiling his report, he was assisted by former Gov. Frederick D. Gardner, H. J. Blanton, Paris, Mo.; L. Halbert, Kansas City; Mrs. H. N. Ess, Kansas City; the Rev. J. Butler, St. Louis; the Rev. Ivan Lee Holt, St. Louis; William Jones, St. Louis, and Frank Harris, Columbia. The report is copyrighted by the association.

"Outside Influence" Declared. The outstanding problem disclosed in this study of paroles that influences outside of the penitentiary and reformatory played too decisive a role, the report says. In many instances, influence had no real bearing whatever upon the merits of an application for parole. The attitude of the funder and his fitness for a parole should have been the real basis in this connection, it is urged.

To note that, while the approval of trial officials has actually been very frequently sought, there, however, many instances in which paroles have been granted over protest of these officials, also in many instances the trial officials were so indifferent that they failed to go to the trouble of looking up the facts.

"If crime is to be curbed in Missouri," the association asserts, releases that occur prior to expiration of sentence should be conditional releases.

Pointing out that nine out of every 10 criminals who have been liberated from the penitentiary since Gov. Baker took office have been released under the seven-twelfths rule, the association declares that "this means that the institution has relinquished forever control over them."

"Obviously none of the releases who have been released in this manner should have received a release," the association declares.

Analysis of Commutations. To show the effect of commutations on severe and long sentences, the association offers an analysis of sentences of 25 years or more commuted during the period 1901 to 1910. Gov. Folk was in office from 1904 to 1908 and succeeded by Gov. Hadley, served through 1912.

Of 61 prisoners who received sentences of from 25 to 60 years, 34 received commutations, the average time served was 8.75 years and the average sentence was 32.65 years, with the number still in the penitentiary.

"The sentences of 25 of 29 cases who received 25-year sentences each were cut by commutation to an average of 11.19 years—less than one-half of the original sentence," continues the analysis. "The other four died at the institution. In other words, not the 29 years receiving a 25-year sentence are in the institution. Of 23 receiving life sentences, five died at the institution, were transferred to State hospitals for the insane, three are still living time, and records are in place as to the outcome of but the life sentences of the



## \$50,000,000 in New Buildings Planned for Nation's Capital

An aerial photograph of the White House complex in Washington, D.C. The White House is the large, white, rectangular building in the center. To its right is the Executive Office Building. The area is surrounded by green lawns, trees, and roads. The image is framed by a decorative border.

Included in the plan, also, is the Treasury Annex across from the Treasury, on Pennsylvania avenue and Madison place. The Annex at present consists of only one wing and when completed will run through the entire block.

**SUN IN TOTAL  
ECLIPSE TOMORROW**

Phenomenon Will Be Visible  
However, Only in Africa  
and Oriental Islands.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13—A

minutes before midnight (Eastern time) tonight the moon will come between the sun and the earth and draw a black line of total eclipse some 7000 miles in length from Central Africa, across the Indian Ocean and over the Islands of Sumatra and Borneo to the edge of the Philippine Islands.

Astronomers from the United States, Great Britain, Holland, Australia and other countries have taken up positions at various points along the line where totality of

Starting in the Belgian Congo  
Central Africa at sunrise tomorrow  
morning or 11:55 p. m. tonight  
Eastern standard time, the eclipse  
will pass over Victoria Nyanza

and then make its way across the Indian Ocean southward until 1:30 p. m., Eastern standard time. The shadow will bend northward and pass over the west coast of Sumatra, where it will then be 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. From S

Sumatra, the line of totality will just cross to Borneo and thence to the Philippines, at the southern part of the Island of Mindanao, where it will pass out into the Pacific Ocean and leave the earth at sunset, or 3:18 a. m., Eastern standard time.

The shadow will be 80 miles wide. Outside this radius the people of certain portions of East Africa, Southern Greece, Arabia, Persia, India, China, Korea, Japan and Australasia will be able to view the partial eclipse.

A mission from the United States  
 Naval Observatory has been sent  
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**Boy on Sled Killed by Auto.**  
 by the Associated Press.  
 BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Jan. 13.

born Frederick Byr, 11 years of age of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Byr, "snatched" behind an automobile last night and paid for his ride with his life when his sled crashed head-on into an automobile coming from the opposite direction driven by E. E. Morse, a salesman. He had released his hold on the car to which he had attached himself and swerved across the street directly in front of the oncoming car, according to a police report.

## CHANGES IN LAWS TO BE RELIED ON TO BRING REFORM

**Action by Administration  
Officers Also a Hope of  
Association for Criminal  
Justice.**

## \$40,000 TO BE RAISED TO CARRY ON WORK

**Investigators Pleased at  
Justice Blair's Promise of  
Co-Operation of the Su-  
preme Court.**

**By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.**  
JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 13.—Legislative procedure and action by administrative officers will be relied on to carry out the reforms needed to make the State's protection against crime up to date. This is the answer to the question, "What are we going to do about

7" which was asked here yesterday as the first broadside of information on crime was fired by the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice.

The principal effort now of the association, which is to continue its activities permanently, will be to bring about changes and additions to the law to make the reforms possible. Administrative changes, leaders of this State-wide

organization feel, will come about largely as a matter of course, especially as public officials observe the growing public sentiment for modern methods of fighting crime.

Association leaders today were jubilant over the speech delivered at yesterday's session in the Hall of Representatives by Chief Justice Blair of the State Supreme Court in which he pledged the cooperation of his colleagues in the court and himself in the movement. Lawyers active in the association regarded this as especially significant, since it is not unlikely the reforms eventually will have to bear the acid test of the Supreme Court.

In this connection the lawyers were remarking upon various recent decisions of this court in criminal cases which were regarded as liberal interpretations of law, rather than narrow, and technical.

One suggestion made by Judge Blair, however, probably will not be followed. He counseled the association to be active in the coming campaign for the State Legislature.

**\$50,000 More to Carry on Work.**  
Plans for informing the people of Missouri of the association's findings and recommendations are under consideration now, and an additional fund of \$50,000 is being sought.

That was the account of pardons, paroles and commutations, by As-

stant Operating Director A. F. Kuhlman. Several lawyer-members thought it was a hopeful advance of the times that an organization dealing with laws and composed in large extent of lawyers should listen with attention to a statistical report by Kuhlman, who is professor of sociology at the University of Missouri.

The remaining nine reports will be made, one or two at a time, at intervals of several weeks, at various Missouri cities. Next to be delivered probably will be the one on police administration in St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph, in about three weeks at Kansas City.

Discussing the meeting and future plans, Operating Director Lashly said today:

"The gathering presages a degree of interest in the future reports that will probably surpass interest in any other State-wide subject. I was impressed by the type of people who attended, and by their enthusiasm.

"We should print all our reports in one volume for distribution throughout the State whether

free or otherwise remains to be seen—and we should print them separately in pamphlet form. Then a narrative resume of all of them, hitting the high spots, should be prepared for general distribution.

"Organization in every town and city of the State with population of 1000 and more will be perfected, also organizations either by

counties or by judicial or senatorial districts. Meetings will be held in all the more prominent towns, in addition to the report meetings, to carry on an intensive educational campaign.

"In all probability we will not

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JOSEPH PULITZER.  
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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

## Great Is "The Miracle."

ALL hail "The Miracle." Every man and woman, boy and girl should see it, for it is theatrical art in perfection, genius, and a life's loftiest heights. The literary genius of poetic creation, founded on the lure of the seasons, the is within us all, the genius of artful blending of coloring, lighting and grouping, and the genius of astute commercialism in placing the very teachings of Christ Himself on the stage as an evening's glorious entertainment.

That any member of any community, professional or business man, father or son, mother or daughter, priest or nun, should cavil in advance or any other time at its morality, or refrain from embracing this opportunity to eat from its table of life, to study phases of human existence that can never be lived by them, and to experience thrills of emotion often longed for but never felt, seems almost incomprehensible.

To see such a soul-inspiring, historic achievement as "The Miracle" is to live a new and better life, to gather new and better wisdom, to feel new and better blood throbbing through your veins. And to miss it is to steal from yourself the chance to study one of life's great lessons, that man or woman, priest, nun or layman, can in the springtime of their lives, be easily tempted and lured to sin.

Were it not so there could be no such thing as reformation, no such thing as building anew from a false start, of moulding a strong will from a weak one, the making of the world's most perfect citizen, namely, the man who has conquered his human weakness by experience, the man who has learned the lesson of the sordidness of life that he may know whereof he speaks when, in the winter-time of his brief years on earth, he endeavors to teach frail youth of his weaknesses and how to mould them into seeds of strength, seeds that can grow into beautiful towering trees, bearing a fruit blessed by God Himself, for it is the fruit of all that is had within us ripened into fruit of all that is good within us.

And of such wholesome fruit was the girl made who in "The Miracle" is alternately represented as a good nun, a bad woman of the world, and one of God's numerous weak children.

SYLVESTER MAGUIRE.

## Red Tape at City Hospital.

ON account of one man killing himself through the carelessness of the attendants in not watching hundreds of people who have loved ones in the observation ward at city hospital are deprived of seeing them. I have a wife who is there and I have made four trips down there within the past week but could not see her or get any satisfaction as to how I could see her. Trusting that through the Post-Dispatch this will be remedied. I am.

## A TROUBLED HUSBAND.

Kellogg's Wrong Judgment.

I HAVE read many comments upon the action of Secretary Kellogg in denouncing Countess Karolyi, but have yet to note the real reason we should object to his action.

Mr. Kellogg's action seems to imply that we are a nation of sneaking cowards and fools that can be swayed in our opinions concerning Governments by the talk of anybody, whether that "anybody" be wise or foolish, and he must save us from error.

I resent his stigmatization of Americans as being so little in love with their institutions that they must be prevented from listening to any criticism of this or any other Government.

I am tired of this continual assault by Mr. Kellogg, and other sufferers from a baseless fear, upon the credibility, courage and intelligence of the American people, and I desire to know by what right he makes this people appear a craven set of poltroonish fools, with no stability and no sense?

It is not so much the affront offered to a woman—bad and cowardly as that is—but the studied insult to both the courage and intelligence of the people of the United States, offered by Mr. Kellogg, that I object to.

## "Alas, Poor Viereck!"

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE read your editorial of the 8th with great interest, and it appears to me that the hallucinations you point out are not the only ones to which Mr. Viereck appears to be subject. He consistently speaks of the individual he says he has interviewed as "The Kaiser," "The Emperor," "His Majesty," etc., and refers to the wife of the gentleman as "Her Majesty the Empress." Together with I think the majority of people, I have for some time been under the impression that Germany is a republic and that the individual now living in Doorn is Mr. William Hohenzollern, but this does not seem to be Mr. Viereck's idea.

Seeing that "Viereck" is perfectly good German for quadrangle or square, it may be that Mr. Viereck is better informed as to the present state of affairs than the rest of us.

VAL A. FINX.

## THE CRIME SURVEY.

Mr. Lashly yesterday repeated what has become an old story, namely, crime is rampant and punishment lags woefully. What he said was distilled from a multitude of facts gathered about crime in Missouri by the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice. These facts have been compiled into the first survey of the kind made by any state in the Union. They will prove a valuable point of departure for a badly needed renovation of our whole system of criminal justice.

There is nothing particularly astonishing about the main outlines of Mr. Lashly's summary, though the exact figures will help to fix clearly in the mind the success of crime hereabouts. In St. Louis, the chances are six to one that a murderer will escape punishment. Burglars and robbers enjoy a much larger percentage of immunity, the chances against their punishment being 25 to 1 and 241.3 to 1, respectively. Missouri pays \$9,000,000 for protection against crime, and the annual loss from financial crimes in the State is estimated at \$55,000,000.

We believe that the main value of the Missouri crime survey lies in the facts which have been collected. The deductions from these facts, as presented by Mr. Lashly, do not, we believe, place the proper amount of responsibility upon the courts. As weaknesses in the system of justice, he mentions the growing disuse of the grand jury, the "unchecked and unbalanced power" of prosecuting attorneys, pardon of desperate criminals, use of the merit computation system, and the release of dangerous prisoners from the reformatory after serving small fractions of their sentences.

It will be noted that three of the five weaknesses Lashly cites deal with the treatment of prisoners after conviction, whereas his report shows the main trouble to be the large number of criminals who are never convicted at all. We believe Chancellor Hadley's speech better expresses the direction in which reform should proceed. Hadley's thesis was that the American system of criminal justice is only 50 per cent efficient, and that our methods of criminal procedure are largely responsible for the fact that "we are the most lawless civilized people in the world."

Hadley criticized both lower and appellate courts. The former lack the power of Federal trial courts, but they are also timid in the use of what powers they do possess. They fear reversal, and this fear is justified "by the highly technical attitude which appellate courts usually assume toward records of convictions in criminal cases." Here Hadley made an exceedingly important suggestion, namely, that if the 500 Appellate Judges in the United States would act with common purpose to relieve our legal system of its intense legalism and its glorification of technicality, they could do as much "for the proper administration of criminal justice as all the rest of us combined."

Hadley speaks with authority on these questions. It is true he has the problem in his mind as a national one, yet much can be done in Missouri to aid the fight. With the facts gathered by the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice, and such conclusion as Hadley's for a guide, the Legislature can do much to correct what is now a distressing condition. Moreover, the report should spur into action the whole hierarchy of justice, from the policeman on the beat to the Judge of the highest court. There is plenty of room for improvement all along the line aside from legislative or procedural reform.

## GLORIA COMES THROUGH.

The Marquise Gloria de Falaise talked to reporters in New York the other day while dining on pigs' knuckles. Moreover, she confessed in a coy way that sometimes she eats sardines for breakfast. Growing still more confidential, she let it be known that the apartment she is building on the roof of a New York hotel will cost \$20,000 instead of \$100,000, as we were given to understand by her press agent. But this was not all. The Marquise, he it recorded, dislikes night clubs. Her favorite amusement is to gather "four or five intelligent friends" and spend the evening discussing books and the drama. When not thus occupied she can generally be found, she says, telling bed-time stories to her two children.

Somehow, we just knew there was good in that girl.

## THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO HOOVER.

(From the New York World.)



## A BUREAUCRATIC MENACE.

The special senatorial committee which investigated the Internal Revenue Bureau has brought some serious charges against that powerful branch of Government in its administration of the income tax law. Definite losses from revenue are cited as the result of improper deductions and erroneous valuations, as well as other irregularities and criticisms which deserve the most careful scrutiny.

It was found that more than \$200,000,000 was allowed in deductions from income for amortization of war facilities of manufacturers and miners. The purpose of the amortization provision was to encourage the production of war necessities, but a large part of the allowances are upon facilities acquired by contract before the United States entered the war.

The committee found S. M. Greenidge, an important income tax official, to be incompetent and unfit for any position in the Government service requiring engineering ability and sound discretion. It declared that a loss of \$60,000,000 in taxes was occasioned by erroneous valuations of copper and silver mines.

The Commissioner was charged with exceeding his authority of compromising taxes, and with giving unsecured creditors and stockholders of insolvent corporations precedence over the Government's tax claims. In its administration of difficulties incident to invested capital and special assessments the bureau is charged with failing to observe the plain provisions of the law.

Illegal acts, incompetence, gross discrimination—these are not charges to be laughed off. The Internal Revenue Bureau has immense power. This power is exercised in an executive and judicial, and sometimes, it appears from the committee's report, even in a legislative manner. A charge that the bureau has exceeded the mighty province created for it by law causes alarm. A bureaucracy whose acts go unedited and uncensored is a menace under the best conditions.

We hope to hear more on this subject from the Finance Committee and from the Senate floor.

## THE SPENCER RENFRO CASE.

The decision of the Supreme Court, affirming the sentence of two years in the penitentiary for Spencer Renfro, on charge of manslaughter growing out of the reckless operation of a motor truck, is being hailed with satisfaction by court officials and safety promoters.

It is to be noted that this punishment, for a crime that is committed frequently in St. Louis, stands out as the solitary instance, so far, in which a penalty of such severity has been inflicted. It is to be hoped that the fact that Renfro is a Negro has nothing to do with the jury's verdict.

At any rate, it is a precedent and should be a warning. If justice is done in other similar cases Renfro will not be the only offender to enter the penitentiary for reckless driving that results in a fatality that should bring a verdict of manslaughter.

"Coolidge Pastor Indorses Wedding of Irving Berlin." (Headline.) Well, what of it?

## CRUELTY TO CABBAGES.

One of the roundest blasts of nonsense which we have ever had the honor to hear is the cry of the professional vegetarians that meat eating should be abolished because it results in the slaughter of a vast number of innocent animals.

Doesn't vegetarianism result in the slaughter of a vast number of innocent plants? Because the plants do not offer up furious howls of pain and indignation does not signify that they do not suffer. Neither, for that matter, does an anglerworm. Or an oyster. Or an eel. The best cannot bleed, but it can bleed, and does, copiously. Is there a voice raised to stay the housewife's hand as she rends the pulsating heart from a stalk of celery, or chops to the vitals of a tender cabbage? No. Who utters a protest as the rhubarb goes under the knife? Nobody. What is done in defense of the tomato? Nothing. If we stand for anything in this matter, we stand for equality.

Another incidental question: Shall we stop the breeding of food animals—cattle, pigs, fowls, fish—and thus be guilty of cruelty, or give up the earth to them?



## CRIME AND PUNISHMENT.

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch  
By CLARK McADAMS  
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## PANDELA.

Yes, Luella,  
Science tells us  
Why the leaves  
Are red in Fall.  
In the process  
Of decaying  
They are full  
Of alcohol.  
That is  
When the Autumn  
Chilleth  
And the heart  
Begins to sink.  
Nature,  
Who is mostly gracious,  
Mixes everyone  
A drink.

Thus does  
Our eternal mother,  
When the Summer  
Sadly dies.  
Also seek  
To cheer the moment  
In defiance  
Of the drowsy  
When the sugar tree  
Is golden  
And the samaras  
Are gowned  
In magenta.  
It means nothing  
But a cocktail  
All around.

Wherefore  
This would seem  
Apparent,  
Though perhaps  
A little later:  
Prohibition presupposes  
For us  
A denatured state.  
What the thing  
In toto comes to,  
After all  
The heat and strife,  
Is that abstinence  
Would make us  
All dead wood  
Devoid of life.

So we have it,  
Little girls,  
That we may  
Bear leaf and bloom,  
And in Spring  
Be up and growing.  
We resist  
The hosts of gloom.  
While they calmly  
Search our cellars  
And are ever  
On their knees  
Peering underneath  
The curtains.  
Nature brows  
Among the trees.  
That is all.  
My dear Luella,  
When the rest  
For life is low,  
Nature,  
Famous for her wisdom,  
Gives the whole  
A merry glow.  
When the summertime  
Is dying  
And the earth  
Elsewhere would crawl  
In its grave  
And perish, Nature  
Serves a little  
Alcohol.

We beg Kansas City's pardon. Here we have been thinking of ourselves as probably twice the community in every metropolitan respect that Kansas City is, and it has taken the crime survey to shame us.

As a matter of fact, we are after murderers like the veriest village in comparison with Kansas City. We are lying out under five escapes night trying to take burglars alive with all the stealth and seal of a county seat Constable beside the impertinent indifference to whatever happens in that cosmopolitan center. What violence have we done her in imagining her to be a place where the pastoral view of life, with its disposition to chase horsehieves as a social amenity and welcome murder as a diversion because it means a long chase with bloodhounds, is still undisturbed by the roar of traffic and the death cries of perishing pedestrians. We hope Kansas City will be charitable. The chance of getting hanged for murder up there is just half what it is here, whereas the chance of being convicted of burglary in Kansas City rivals the vanishing point of true metropolitanism characterizing New York and Chicago. Our mistake has likely been due to what one sees at the Kansas City Union Station. No more picturesque cross roads is to be found in the country. Probably seeing too many wide-brimmed hats at once, or seeing too many Mormon elders cooling their whiskers through the train windows, gave us the impression that Kansas City is a town and this is a city. God help us! We are the appleknockers and they are the city folk.

The Democrats and Republican Progressives in the Senate joined in seating Senator Nye of Dakota, over the solid vote of the Old Guard. After all, the Democrats and Republican Progressives in the Senate have most things in common, just as we might say that the members of the Old Guard have all things in preferred.

Senator Norris says he has given up the fight to save Muscle Shoals for the people because the people don't care anything about it. It is not easy to understand the Nebraska Senator. He could so much easier join in exploiting the people, and the people would be so much more grateful!

Str: From a movie ad:  
"The Man Without a Country."  
The Book That Circularized the World:  
How could a book do it? READER.

## MUST I EAT THE WORM?

The dread U. R. with medieval shunt. Withdrew a needed exit from the cars. And caused its patrons, through this most amazing stunt. To wait, like cattle, lowing at the pasture bars.

To wait and wait, while ruthless whistles blow. And biting wind, or rain, or drifting sleet. Or howling storms or bitter, drifting snow. Add danger from the Melochs of the street.

We like it not—the worm is lasting gall. What cryle laughs, while tortures, thousands squirm? Can reason pierce the dark, official pall? O Polyphemus, must I eat the worm? A. G. HALTERMAN.

## The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to represent without bias the latest comments by leading publicists, newspapermen and periodicals on the questions of the day.

## A GENEALOGICAL JEST.

SOME mild mirth has been contributed to the New Year season by an extremely serious effort to prove that Andrew J. Volstead, father of the most-discussed and most generally fractured statute ever enacted, is a descendant of that jovial soul, John Falstaff—whose grumblings and other indiscretions have long been a joy to the lovers of literature. Personally, we regard this alleged genealogical research as a rather witless joke, whose only excuse we see in the general Yuletide jollity and temporary suspension of the ordinary rules of humor. Mr. Volstead, however, according to press dispatches, has taken it seriously, and has contributed to rather than decreased the irreverent hilarity. Mr. Volstead, with great gravity, has traced his genealogy, showing beyond doubt that somewhere in his family tree impinges on that of Prince Hal's rollicking companion. And he proceeds then to denounce the canard as a tardy and subtle propaganda, deliberately designed by the wicked confederates to bring a great and holy statutory enactment into disrepute. We trust that the ill-timed levity will subside; that Mr. Volstead will be permitted to rejoice justly in a line of descent untainted by more than one-half of one percent at any point, and that honest John Falstaff will not feel that it is necessary for him to emerge from his comfortable sequestration to enter any denials on his part.

## SIDELIGHTS ON PERSHING.

JAMES KERNY in the Century Magazine for January.

PERSHING was an exceedingly patient listener; his mind worked with a remarkable consistency. He carried conviction that his logic was good. There was no waste of words; just a courteous argument. When the decision came, it was convincing and final. His handwriting was bold, and he had a habit of making marks on small squares of paper. That "A. E." was familiar to all who had occasion to serve directly under or in association with him. One thing he always had, supreme admiration for and confidence in the American fighting man. When the campaign story of the big things he did for America gets upon the open record, Pershing will bulk pretty large as a very common statesman, too. Usually most courteous and reserved, he could be quite emphatic when occasion demanded. "Your Commander in Chief is very plain-spoken at times," Lord Milner said to me one day at luncheon at the British Embassy in Paris—a sentence in which other distinguished Europeans would doubtless concur. There were trying hours for America's cause over there, when the mind and wit of Pershing were matched against the strongest diplomats, politicians, business magnates and soldiers of the Old World. He got a close-up of the ultimate part European statesmen play in actually directing wars, as well as bringing them on.

## WHERE IS THE RACE GOING?

From the Kansas City Star.

A BELOIT College expedition is being let out for the purpose of tracing the origin of man. It is believed the expedition will find the beginnings of the race in Northern Africa. When it is known where the race came from, will someone please let out an expedition that will find out where the race is going?

## Steamship Movement.

Arrived.

New York, Jan. 12, Lapland, Antwerp.

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London, New York.

## STOCKS COMMITTEE ON GERARD SWOPE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

President Fahrenkrog of Board of Education Names Five Members to Serve With Him.

\$3000-A-YEAR YIELD FROM \$50,000 GIFT

Recipients of Awards, Successful in Later Life Are to Repay Loans With Accrued Interest.

The Board of Education last night appointed a committee to administer the \$50,000 trust fund given by Gerard Swope of New York, former St. Louisan, to the beginning of an endowment scholarships in universities for St. Louis high school graduates.

The committee, named by President Fahrenkrog of the board, consists of himself as president of the board and Secretary-Treasurer W. McNamee; Edward J. Ruse, architect and close friend of Swope; Samuel W. Fordyce, counsel in St. Louis for the General Electric Co. of which Swope is president; John C. Tobin, a member of the board, and Horace Swope, a cousin of the donor.

Swope's gift, as first announced in the Post-Dispatch of Dec. 21, is a memorial to his father and mother, Isaac and Ida Swope, who, recalled, "spent nearly 50 years of their married life in St. Louis, and here and graduated from Central High School. The family home for nearly 20 years at 3540 O street.

To Yield \$2000 a Year. Only the income of the fund be used for scholarships. The endowment is calculated to yield \$2000 a year in the beginning, an increasingly sum later on, plan designated as the "Swope plan."

This plan, first devised by Swope when he became a member of the Board of Education of the Missouri Institute of Technology, contemplates that the recipient of a scholarship, should be successful in later years, should turn to the fund to sum it up, and add to it his own interest, such additions as he may wish make so that the fund may do others what it did for him.

The number of scholarships year will vary somewhat according to the different colleges select those awarded scholarships. Swope's wish that the pupil be admitted to name his own college.

The fund was formally dedicated "The Swope Memorial" in addressing the board, prior to the acceptance of the plan, Fahrenkrog referred to it as "a wonderful step forward in cause of education."

"It will be the means," he said, "of assisting many worthy men and women to that higher education which should be due because of their exceptional merit and fitness, but which might not be able to acquire cause of their limited means." The fund, he said, was a debt of gratitude to Mr. Swope, this most generous gift.

## Accepts Swope Gift.

"It gives me great pleasure on behalf of the Board of Education to accept this splendid endowment to the cause of education."

He said the most fitting board should cause to spread upon the record of its proceedings its sincere appreciation of Mr. Swope's generous and that the proper officers of the board transmit to him a letter pressing the heartfelt thanks of the board.

In line with his suggestion Fahrenkrog named John C. Tobin, Weldie and Arthur A. Tobin, members of the board, and Horace Swope, as president of General Electric Co., recently announced the company had purchased a 155 acres in the northwest trial district upon which it erecting a large manufacturing plant.

## Armour-Northwestern U. S.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Steps toward the merger of the Armour Institute of Technology and Northwestern University were taken yesterday when the two institutions met at contracts detailing the plan which Armour will be a business partner of the Northwestern. The plan includes the raising of a \$10 endowment fund.

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Springfield, Mo., Bank to Liquidate.  
Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Jan. 13.—  
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ican Savings Bank will begin here  
today. The bank has a capital

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## ELEVATOR OPERATED BY WIFE KILLS MAN

Belleville Man Crushed After  
Going Into Pit of Shaft  
to Work.

A passenger elevator operated by  
his wife killed Walter Roeders-  
heimer, 45 years old, as he was  
working in the elevator pit in the  
Commercial Building, High and  
Main streets, Belleville, yesterday  
afternoon.

Roedersheimer was employed as  
janitor and his wife, Mary, who is  
34, as elevator operator. At 4  
o'clock, as the elevator was at the  
top of the five-story shaft, Roeders-  
heimer entered the pit from the  
basement. He had an extension  
lamp in his hand and presumably  
intended to clean the pit or make  
some repairs.

Not knowing her husband was  
directly below, Mrs. Roedersheimer  
started for the ground floor. She  
miscalculated and the bottom of the  
elevator dropped a few feet below  
the first floor. The floor boards  
creaked, and groans issued from  
the pit. Mrs. Roedersheimer as-  
cended in the elevator to the third  
floor, then ran down the stairway  
and into the street, hysterically cry-  
ing for help. Those who respon-  
ded found the body of Roedersheim-  
er, with his head crushed, in the  
pit.

Andrew Ross, a farmer, of R. R.  
No. 4, Belleville, was waiting in the  
lobby when the accident occurred.  
He was the only witness.

Roedersheimer resided with his  
wife at 18A North Jackson street,  
Belleville. There is one child, Mary  
Ann, 5 years old.

## CHANGES IN LAWS TO BE RELIED ON TO BRING REFORM

(Continued from Page 17.)

enter the campaign for the elec-  
tion of legislators, although that  
is a matter to be determined by  
the Executive Committee and the  
board. There is no disposition at  
this time to enter the political field,  
even in a nonpartisan way.

"All we want to do is to arouse  
public sentiment to the necessity  
for action in this important mat-  
ter, and we believe when we do  
that members of the Legislature  
will be quick to respond to that  
sentiment. We will print Judge  
Blair's address and probably that  
will be one of the main pieces of  
literature in the educational cam-  
paign."

Other States Watching Efforts.  
Lashly and other leaders ex-  
pressed gratification at the space  
and support given yesterday's  
meeting and previous activities in  
the metropolitan and rural press of  
Missouri.

This survey and reform plan as  
a State-wide movement is an in-  
novation being watched by other  
states of the union. C. W. Terry  
of Edwardsville, Ill., a member of  
the Crime Commission of the Illi-  
nois Bar Association, took copious  
notes at the meeting, to report at  
a gathering in Chicago Saturday  
which is considering a similar sur-  
vey in Illinois. The Kentucky Bar  
Association is considering taking  
steps immediately for such a sur-  
vey and has requested full infor-  
mation on the Missouri movement.  
Legislators in the movement here are  
interested in the work of the Na-  
tional Crime Commission.

A Cosmopolitan Gathering.

It was a cosmopolitan gathering  
here yesterday—147 civic, com-  
mercial, social service, profes-  
sional, social and fraternal organi-  
zations were represented by nearly  
200 men and women who attended.  
It wasn't a St. Louis affair and  
it wasn't a big city affair, but it  
was a meeting of all sections of  
the state. Attendance ranged from  
representatives of the St. Louis  
Bureau of Municipal Research to  
the Rotary Club of Sedalia; from  
the Wednesday Club of St. Louis  
to the St. Joseph Police Board; from  
the Master Plumbers' Asso-  
ciation to the State Senate; Wash-  
ington, Missouri and St. Louis  
Universities were represented.  
Constituents of these representa-  
tives number thousands.

R. T. Wood of Springfield, pres-  
ident of the State Federation of  
Labor, and leaders of a number of  
other labor organizations attended  
the meeting as observers rather  
than as delegates. It is expected  
that Missouri labor is watching  
the recommendations of the as-  
sociation, chiefly to see if a state  
police force will be proposed; this  
group fears such a force might be  
used against it. State police likely  
will be recommended by the as-  
sociation.

The report of the association's  
Nominating Committee proposing  
14 directors, nine of whom were re-  
elected, was adopted. The five new  
directors are: L. Wade Childress  
of St. Louis; A. Ross Hill, Frank  
Moss and E. E. Amick of Kansas  
City, and John T. Barker, president  
of the Missouri Bar Association,  
chosen as a representative of the  
State at large. Those re-elected  
were: St. Louis—Thomas C. Hen-  
nings, Guy A. Thompson, Dr. Em-  
mett P. North and Mrs. Howard  
Bailey; Kansas City—John I. Wil-  
liamson and William Pitt; else-  
where—A. J. Eisenmayer of  
Springfield, Sanford Sellers, Lex-  
ington, and Milton Tootie Jr. of  
St. Joseph. There are 16 other di-  
rectors.

There was a brief flurry of dis-  
sension when a group of women  
delegates favored substitution of  
Mrs. Henry N. Ess of Kansas City,  
president of the State Federation  
of Women's Clubs, for A. Ross Hill.  
The directors, in a short session,  
re-elected the officers and Execu-  
tive Committee.

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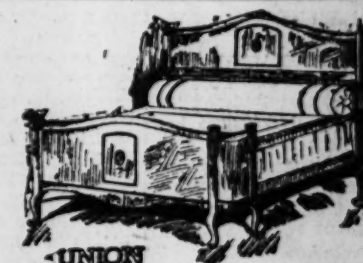
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PART THREE.

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He is arranging the program  
for a meeting to be held in Wash-  
ington in April in connection with  
the meeting of the National Acad-  
emy of Sciences and the American  
Geophysical Union.

## BOY TELLS HOW JEALOUS FATHER KILLED MOTHER

Eleven-Year-Old John  
Kohring, Jr., Accuses  
Parent in Tragedy in  
Webster Groves Home.

The story of the murder of Mrs.  
Evelyn Kohring, 38 years old, who  
was shot to death yesterday after-  
noon by her jealous husband, John,  
41, in their home at 556 Marshall  
avenue, Webster Groves, was told  
today by their 11-year-old son,  
John Jr., in the city hall at Web-  
ster Groves, as he waited to be  
taken to Kirkwood to testify at an  
inquest.

The boy, youngest of three chil-  
dren, witnessed the quarrel from  
its beginning in a petty disagree-  
ment until four shots were fired.  
After shooting the mother three  
times, the father followed her into  
another room and deliberately fired  
a fourth shot into her heart as she  
lay on the floor, the boy declared.  
The father professes to remember  
nothing about the shooting.

At the inquest, the boy repeated  
his story, kneeling on the floor with  
the revolver to show how the last  
shot was fired. The father, who  
sat grimly through the recital, was  
held for homicide without bond.  
He did not testify.

"I came home from Avey  
School about 4 o'clock," the boy  
related. "No one was at home, and  
I was playing in the street when I  
saw dad coming from the plumbing  
shop where he works. He drank a  
glass of beer and about 4:50 my  
mother came in.

Mother Slapped His Face.  
"He asked her, 'How did you get  
home so quick? Who brought you  
home?' She didn't answer, but  
walked by him to the front of the  
house. Dad followed her. He said  
something to her that I couldn't  
hear, and she slapped him in the  
face."

The parents moved to the kitchen,  
the boy continued, and he fol-  
lowed. There were more sharp  
words that he couldn't hear, and  
then his father brushed past him  
into a bedroom. He returned with  
something in his hand, and the boy  
heard his mother say:

"You think you're pretty big  
with that gun, don't you?"  
"Then she hit him again and  
they began to scuffle around in  
the kitchen and bedroom," the boy  
went on. "Finally they fell on  
the bed with mother underneath  
and dad pulled the revolver from  
his pocket."

"I tried to grab it but he would  
just shake me off. He held her  
with one hand and knelt on her  
chest with his knee and fired at  
her three times. He backed away  
and then mother got up slowly  
and walked down the hall. She  
staggered and bumped against the  
walls, until she got in the front  
room and sat on a chair. She slid  
off on the floor."

"Dad walked in behind her with  
the revolver in his hand.  
Kissed Her, Then Fired Again.  
"He knelt down beside her and  
asked her, 'Do you love me?' She  
said 'Yes,' and he pulled up her  
head and kissed her."

"When police arrived, they found  
Kohring kneeling over his wife's  
body. The revolver, with four  
discharged cartridges, was on the  
floor. Mrs. Kohring's body had  
four bullet wounds in the chest.  
The son had fled to the home of  
neighbors, who had telephoned a  
physician and police."

To most questions, Kohring's an-  
swer was, "I don't remember." He  
related that his wife had gone to  
the home of her sister, Mrs. Julia  
Roche, at 1727 Nicholson place,  
where he was to call for her in his  
automobile. She was not there,  
he said, so he went home. On en-  
tering the house, he declared, she  
upbraided him immediately for not  
being at work and threatened to  
leave him, he said.

"She started punching me right  
and left," he continued. "We fell  
over on the bed. The boy tried  
to pull me away. Then two or  
three shots came from some  
place."

"You fired them, didn't you?"  
he was asked.  
"I suppose I did," he replied.  
"but I don't remember." He could  
not remember getting the revolver  
or firing the fourth shot.

Says He Only Had Beer.  
Kohring denied drinking any-  
thing besides the glass of beer on  
reaching home. He admitted he  
was extremely jealous, and rela-  
tives of Mrs. Kohring said he had  
rarely left the home because of  
his unfounded suspicions. Yester-  
day afternoon Mrs. Kohring went  
with her sister to a picture theater  
and went home on a street car.

The Kohrings had been married  
21 years. Besides the son, there  
are two daughters, Mabel, 18, and  
Ethel, 16, who work downtown as  
office clerks. Neighbors said the  
parents occasionally had minor do-  
mestic quarrels and the wife had  
complained of her husband's jeal-  
ousy.

## TO DISINTER BODY OF BABY OF GARLAND, RICH SOCIALIST

Unwed Mother of Infant Says It  
Was Suffocated by Blanket in  
Its Crib.

By the Associated Press.  
ALLENTOWN, Pa., Jan. 13.—  
An order has been issued for the  
disinterment of the body of the  
baby born to Charles Garland and  
Betina Hovey. The order was is-  
sued by District Attorney Boyle

shortly before Miss Hovey appeared  
in the District Attorney's office and  
explained the baby's death at April  
Farm, founded by Garland, wealthy  
Socialist. A warrant had been is-  
sued for Miss Hovey's arrest, but  
the District Attorney announced  
after he had heard her story that  
the proceedings against her would  
be dropped. Garland, charged with  
adultery, is at liberty on \$1000  
bond.

Miss Hovey told the District At-  
torney that the baby had been suf-  
fering from colic, and was fretful  
one night. Fearing that its cries  
would awaken her 2-year-old son,  
Mowgli, she wrapped it in a blanket  
and placed it in its crib just outside  
the room in which, she said, Gar-  
land and Mowgli slept. In the  
morning the baby was dead. A phy-

sician pronounced death due to suf-  
focation.

Miss Hovey explained the naming  
of her son after the hero of Kin-  
g's jungle stories. "You know,"  
she said, "Mowgli means 'little frog,'  
and when he was born he was so  
comical and looked so much like  
a little frog that I gave him that  
name. That is the name by which  
he goes on the farm."

Miss Hovey said that Garland's  
wife, Mary Preston Wrenn Garland,  
had visited her husband several  
times at April Farm.

TELLS OF CHURCH RECOVERY  
Statistician Says 1924 Membership  
Was Lowest Since 1880.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The  
Protestant churches of America are  
just recovering from the blow they  
suffered in the recent modernist  
and fundamentalist controversy,  
the Rev. H. C. Weber, statistician  
of the Presbyterian Church in the  
United States said in his report yester-  
day to the American Lutheran  
Statistical Association.

A survey of memberships for the  
last 100 years, Dr. Weber said,  
shows that except for the period  
around 1880 they were never so low  
as in 1924.

Cabbage Rushed to United States.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—With quo-  
tations on cabbage rarely at such  
tip-top figures as at present, cab-  
bage by the ton are being rushed  
across the Atlantic. The Govern-  
ment Bureau of Agricultural Econ-  
omics reported today the arrival  
of 14 carloads of cabbage within  
a week at New York from Holland.

According to the report, the un-  
usual strength of the American  
cabbage market is the reason when  
is drawing trans-Atlantic supplies.  
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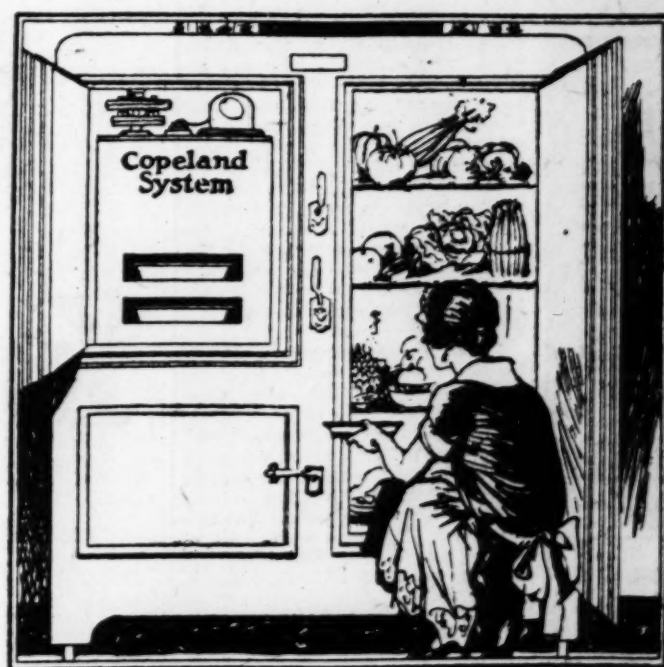
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## 900 PER CENT STOCK DIVIDEND BY NASH CO.

Motor Car Shares Advance 52 Points to 517—Net Profits \$16,256,000.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Directors of the Nash Motor Co. declared a stock dividend of 900 per cent yesterday by voting to issue nine additional shares of stock for each one now held, subject to the approval of the stockholders at a meeting to be called in the near future.

A dividend of \$10 per share was declared on the outstanding common stock payable Feb. 1, 1926, to holders of record Jan. 22. President Nash stated it was the hope of the management that earnings would permit the company to continue the payment of the same amount in dividends which would be at the rate of \$2 per share of the new stock, the equivalent of the present rate of \$20 per share annually on the old stock.

A sensational advance of 52 points to a new high record at 517, as against a low of 193 1/2 last year took place in the stock on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday. Total sales were only about 1300 shares, one jump of 15 points taking place between sales.

Nash, in a statement to stockholders, declared that on Nov. 20, 1925, the company closed the most satisfactory and profitable year in its history, the number of cars and trucks sold exceeding 93,000. Net profits for the year after deducting all expenses, reserves, depreciation, state and Federal taxes and the write-off on investments were \$16,256,000, as compared with \$2,280,541 in 1924. The balance sheet shows accounts payable of \$5,556,800 and represents current bills of the Nash Motors Co. and its subsidiary, the Ajax Motors Co. after eliminating inter company accounts. This is the only indebtedness of the company except the reserve for taxes.

During the year the company purchased for retirement \$8,968,800 par value of its preferred stock in anticipation of the retirement of all of its preferred stock on Feb. 1, 1926, leaving outstanding as of Nov. 20, 1925, \$8,038,400 par value. The company paid out \$5,419,309 to its stockholders in dividends and closed the year with a balance of \$24,246,129 in cash on hand, in Government and Government securities after setting aside \$8,038,400 for the retirement of the balance of preferred stock outstanding.

## EIGHT WARRANTS FOR FOUR BOYS FOLLOW AUTO THEFT

Charges Include Flight From Scene of Accident and Riding in a Stolen Car.

Eight warrants in connection with the theft of an automobile and an accident which followed, were issued yesterday by Prosecuting Attorney Fred Mueller against four boys, now held in jail at Clayton. A warrant charging operating an automobile without the consent of the owner was issued against William Troxell, 17 years old, of 1481 South Vandeventer avenue, who admitted he drove the automobile of E. F. Tibbitt of 4344 Gibson avenue, from in front of 4325 Wichita avenue, Friday night. With him were Harold Schaefer, 17, of 4242A Hunt avenue; William Fanger, 16, of 4353 Norfolk avenue; and Frank Surka, 17, of 3729 La Salle street, each of whom is charged in a warrant with riding in a stolen automobile.

Other warrants charging leaving the scene of an accident were issued against each, when they admitted, according to Deputy Sheriff Kink, who arrested them Saturday night, that they had collided with the automobile of W. W. Elsey of 1219 Pennsylvania avenue, at Olive Street road and Partridge avenue and left the scene. Fanger suffered a fracture of the left wrist.

## MORE G. O. P. MEN IN ROAD JOBS

Special to the Post-Dispatch  
JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 12.—The political poll being made of employees of the State Highway Department at the instance of Gov. Baker still shows Republicans in the majority, contrary to the impression of Republican politicians who long have demanded a poll on the ground Democrats were holding the greater number of positions on the payroll.

C. D. Matthews, Republican, of Sikeston, vice chairman of the commission, who is conducting the poll, said here yesterday that replies had been received thus far from approximately 1700 of the 1910 employees of the department. Matthews said the compilation thus far showed slightly more than 800 Republicans, about 700 Democrats, 150 declaring themselves independent in politics, and about 40 who stated they never had voted. Gov. Baker in a recent statement declared it was his intention to make the department "50-50" as to political affiliations as far as possible.

## Body of Pilot Frozen in River

By the Associated Press.  
BURLINGTON, Ia., Jan. 13.—The body of a man found frozen to death on the ice in the Mississippi River yesterday has been identified as that of Louis Ranke, Winona, Minn. Identification was made by Frank Hansen who said Ranke had been visiting at his cabin in boat home near here for several weeks. Ranke started to Galesburg, Ill., early yesterday morning on his way to St. Louis. He was a steamboat pilot.

## ASSERTS DAWES PLAN TAKES REPARATIONS OUT OF POLITICS

Gilbert Says Its Future Depends on Willingness to Accept German Goods.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—S. Parker Gilbert, agent-general for reparations payments, told the Council of Foreign Relations last night that the Dawes plan already had succeeded in "reducing the problems of reparations to a national basis."

and that its future depended partly on the willingness of creditor nations to accept German goods. From a broad point of view, he said, the plan has taken reparations out of the field of political controversy, and has thus "helped in the creation of a better atmosphere in Europe, and contributed its undoubted part to the recent pact of arbitration and security." Gilbert made an extensive analysis of the economic philosophy upon which the plan was based, its achievements during its 14 months of operation and its probable future.

Owen D. Young, who was a member of the Dawes committee, presided.

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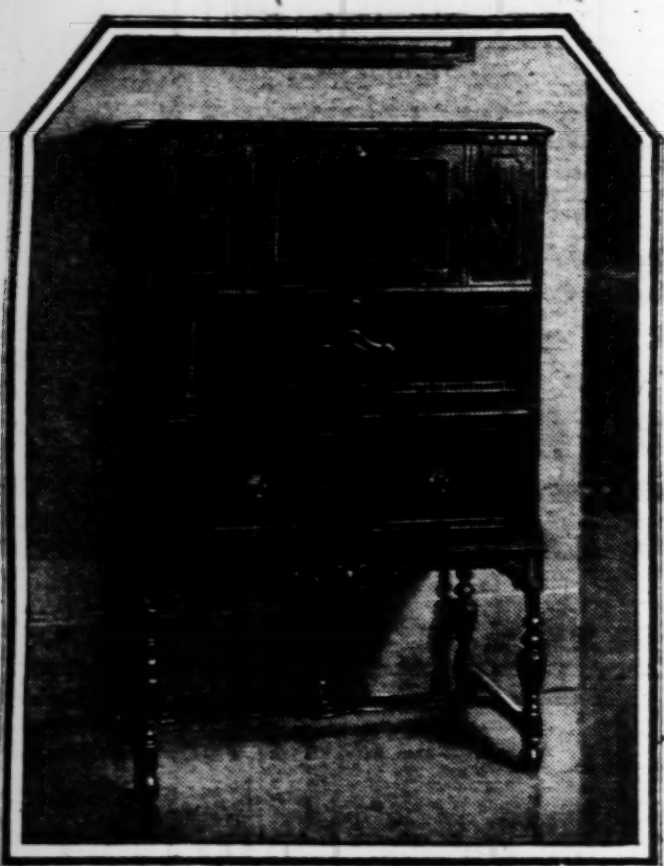
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## CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE CLOSED JAN. 29

Students Will Be Transferred to Yeatman and New Beaumont.

Central High School, except for the annex east of the main building which houses the manual training shops and domestic science rooms, will be closed for reconstruction at the end of the present semester, Jan. 29. It was decided by the Board of Education last night.

Plans for redistribution of the students were also adopted, but the question of whether the building is to be remodeled to house the offices of the board or to remain useful for school purposes was not decided, or even discussed.

In several executive sessions of the board the advisability of transferring the school into an administration building has been discussed, board members admit, but no definite action has been taken. It is pointed out that there are several advantages to be gained by such a move, notably the relinquishing of the very valuable property now occupied by the board's offices at the northwest corner of Ninth and Locust streets, for cheaper property more centrally located and suited to all school purposes.

New School Ready for Use. The closing of Central High at this time, one member said, was advisable because the new Beaumont High School, at Vandeventer and Natural Bridge avenues, is ready for use and most of the pupils of Central will be transferred to that school. Yeatman patrons are eager to have their children transferred to the new school, this member said, and it was thought advisable not to permit all of the students in that school to go into the new one because of the difficulties that might arise when the new high school districts are established and many of the Yeatman pupils might have to be withdrawn and sent elsewhere.

The present plan of redistribution recommended last night by Supt. Maddox and approved by the board, is for all students in the ninth grade in Central and Yeatman to be placed in the latter school, temporarily, and all pupils in the tenth, eleventh and twelfth grades to go to Beaumont High.

Plea to Retain Old School. The action of the board in announcing the closing of Central "temporarily" was made after the Committee on Instruction had considered petitions of pupils and patrons asking that the high school, the oldest in the city, be not abolished, that the students be kept together if it was decided temporarily to close the school, and that the faculty remain intact whatever school the student body might be sent to.

In one petition a group of students appealed to the board to continue Central to perpetuate its traditions and school spirit. "Far from wanting the newest school in the city to house our students," the petition said, "we would rather remain at Central, the oldest and most venerable of high schools."

Recommendations of Supt. Maddox for additional school buildings, including an eight-room and kindergarten unit to replace the Scullin School, and six-room additions to the Buder, Long, Roe and Scruggs schools, were approved.

## RADICALS REPUDIATE POLICIES OF DOUMER

Herriot Is Re-elected President of Chamber of Deputies—Talk of Return to Premiership.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Jan. 13.—The war between the Government and the principal group of its majority in the Chamber of Deputies broke out again yesterday before the chamber organized for its new session.

The radical group, whose representatives in the Cabinet approved M. Doumer's financial measures just before New Year's, repudiated them and declared they would support the substitute measures unless the Minister of Finance abandoned his bill applying a stamp tax to all business transactions.

The Finance Committee, which is dominated by the radicals and Socialists, rallied to the declaration of hostilities by deciding to report in favor of maintaining the provisions of the Loucheur bill whereby the 2,000,000,000 francs law taxes were to be held strictly as a guarantee for the retirement of the new bank notes. M. Doumer had proposed that this revenue be applied to the regular budget.

The Finance Committee rejected M. Doumer's idea of balancing the budget and renovating finances at the same time.

The significance of the attitude of the radicals and Socialists was emphasized by the ovation given M. Herriot when he was declared re-elected president of the chamber. The maneuver appears to be to fire Premier Briand out of opposition on the details of the important measures informed by the Cabinet and oblige him to resign and make way for the return of Herriot as Premier.

This plan is rendered more difficult by the refusal of the Socialists to go into a coalition government, but it is understood that Herriot has the promise of the Radical leaders to give him the same support to the chamber as during his first ministry.

## KILLS HIMSELF LYING IN BED

Arthur R. Snelson, 49 years old, a meat contractor, 2333A Hickory street, ended his life today by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver.

His widow, Mrs. Belle Snelson, told police he was in bed in a rear room, when she heard a shot. He was said to have been worried over recent business reverses.

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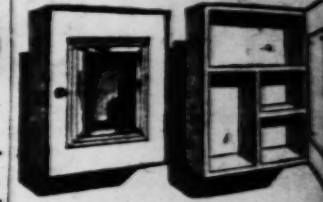
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### AMERICAN ENGINEER

## SOLOVELZKY PRISONER

Released Finn Tells of Deplorable Plight of Louisiana Man at Bolshevik Prison.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the Chicago Daily News, Constantinople, Jan. 12.—An American engineer, named Chevalier of Louisiana, is confined in the notorious Bolshevik prison on the island of Solovetzky, on the borders of the Arctic Circle, where he is suffering great hardship, according to Boris Cederholm, a Finnish engineer, who formerly was a commander in the Imperial Russian navy and who was released from the prison recently on the urgent demands of the Finnish Government.

Cederholm probably is the only man—certainly the only foreigner—who has been allowed to leave Russia after suffering imprisonment at Solovetzky. He arrived here a few days ago. He is quite young in years, but he has a long, white beard, and is desperately thin, while his hearing is almost gone, owing to prison hardships.

Sentenced Without Trial.

Cederholm visited Leningrad early in 1924 for the purpose of concluding a commercial agreement with the soviet government on behalf of a Buenos Aires firm. He was arrested in April, 1924, on charges of espionage and sentenced to Solovetzky after secret interrogations, but without trial.

"On our way to Solovetzky," said Cederholm, "we were joined at Leningrad station by another group from the Caucasus, among them 'Chevalier,' who had been given three years by the secret process of the political police in Tiflis. When I left the prison, on Oct. 6, Chevalier was in a most deplorable condition.

"His clothing was in rags and his shoes were worn. Having no money, he was obliged to live solely on prison rations, which means semistarvation. Another prisoner at Solovetzky was Senor Michel Vilars, Mexican Consul-General in Egypt, who was arrested in Leningrad charged with taking part in a Caucasus conspiracy. He also was given three years."

Character of the Prisoners.

Cederholm declares the soviet government has not kept its promise to abandon using Solovetzky for political prisoners. There are over 7000 prisoners, including 500 women, there. Some of these are criminals, but many others are gentle folk who are suspected of influencing opinion against the government, journalists, writers, professors, students, former officers of the army and navy, and about 150 churchmen.

### EIGHT MEN KILLED IN HOTEL

## FIRE AT FERRIDAY, LA.

Nine Others Burned or Injured in Jumping; Block of Frame Buildings Destroyed.

By the Associated Press.

FERRIDAY, La., Jan. 12.—Trapped on the second floor of the Johnston Hotel, a frame structure, eight men perished in flames which destroyed the hotel, a block of frame structures adjoining, and the Van Noy Hotel, here yesterday. Nine men were injured by burns and from leaping from the second story.

The dead include: Joe Blakely, Ferriday; Pink Ezell, Ferriday; a man named James, Ashwood, La.; an unidentified man; father and son named Keene, of Birmingham; a man with membership card bearing name C. E. Roberts, B. P. O. E., Lodge 922, Dunkirk, N. J.; a man named Staffer.

The injured: J. M. McCorkle, Dallas, probably fatally burned; P. C. Carley, Brookhaven, Miss.; F. E. Jones, Ferriday; J. H. Kirke, Ferriday; Lee Mulberry, J. G. Marvin, Beaumont, Tex.; Joe Knapp, Ferriday; Marcus Carmichael, Galveston.

The fire started about 2 a. m. in the lower part of the Johnston Hotel and the survivors state that they were not aware of the blaze until the walls of the building were falling in.

### COURT AWARDS WOMAN \$5000

## ALIMONY IN DIVORCE SUIT

Mrs. Alice H. Zollinger Wins Decree and Custody of 15-Year-Old Daughter.

Mrs. Alice H. Zollinger, who lives at the Ambassador Apartments, 4209 Lindell boulevard, was granted a divorce yesterday by Circuit Judge Hartmann in Court of Domestic Relations. She charged her husband, Henry R. Zollinger, with general indignities and desertion. She was granted \$5000 alimony in gross, custody of her daughter, Alice J., 15 years old, and \$50 a month for the support of the daughter.

Zollinger, who is proprietor of the H. R. Zollinger Co., an upholstery concern, at 2821 Fairfax avenue, did not contest the suit.

### GRANITE CITY WATCHMAN

## KILLED AT RAIL CROSSING

George W. Harmon, a watchman, employed by the Terminal Railroad at the Twenty-second street crossing in Granite City, was killed early today when he was struck by a southbound Wabash train as he attempted to cross the tracks at the crossing he watched.

Police think that his head was turned to avoid a strong north wind and that he did not see the train.

Harmon was about 62 years old and lived at 2138A B street, Granite City, and is survived by his widow and several children.

### HEADS OLDEST

## BANK IN STATE



**JULIUS W. REINHOLDT.**

### JULIUS W. REINHOLDT NAMED

## BOATMAN'S BANK PRESIDENT

He Is Fifth Head of Oldest Bank in State—Chosen to Succeed Edwards Whitaker.

Julius W. Reinholdt is the fifth president of the Boatman's Bank, oldest bank in Missouri. The directors yesterday elected him to succeed Edwards Whitaker, president since 1910, who retired because of illness.

The bank, which was founded in 1847, has had six homes, none farther west than its present location at the northeast corner of Broadway and Olive street. The first three presidents were Adam L. Mills, from 1847 to 1854; Sullivan Blood, 1854 to 1871; and Rufus J. Lackland, 1871 to 1910.

Reinholdt was born in St. Louis nearly 57 years ago, and began his banking career as a junior clerk in the National Bank of Commerce, in 1887. He rose to assistant cashier, and in 1912 he went to the International Bank of St. Louis as vice president. Since 1914 he has been vice president and cashier of the Boatman's. He and Mrs. Reinholdt live in the St. Regis Apartments, and have three sons.

The office of chairman of the board was tendered to former President Whitaker. L. C. Bryan, re-elected vice president, was named to succeed Reinholdt as cashier. B. F. Bush, chairman of the board of the Missouri Pacific, was elected to succeed Murray Carleton as vice president, and Aaron Waldheim and Edgar L. Taylor were elected vice presidents.

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# NEW FIELD HOUSE TO BE SCENE OF AMES-WASHINGTON CONTEST YANKEES

## Bears' Opening Battle at Home To Be Real Test

Strong Iowa State Eleven Will Bring Strong Combination Here Friday.

SEATS FOR 8000 FANS

Temporary Bleachers Will Be Used if Advance Sale Justifies It.

Washington University's basketball team will on Friday night line up for its game with Ames in the new Parkway field house seating 8000 persons, with the same court combination that swept over Kansas University for a 25 to 15 victory last Monday night according to Coach Don White, who brought the Bears home yesterday from their first trip of the Valley season.

The triumph over Kansas came as a distinct surprise to followers of the Bears after the defeat suffered by the team in the first two games of the trip, and Parkway fans are now looking forward to the Ames game with fervid interest, confidently anticipating a victory that will gain the Bruins an even break on the first four games of their championship campaign.

Kansas had suffered but one basketball defeat in two seasons, prior to the humiliating jolt Washington handed the Jayhawks at Lawrence Monday night. The victory of the Bears appears all the more creditable because of the fact that they defeated a veteran and more experienced team. Five members of the Jayhawk squad have been playing together for several years, having captured the National "prep" championship before they entered the university.

**Better Team Beaten.**  
Commenting upon the defeat of his squad at the hands of Oklahoma University and the Oklahoma Aggies, Coach White expressed the belief that the Bears deserved to win both games because of superior defense and teamwork. He attributes the one-point defeat by Oklahoma University to the fact that "Capt. Seago was the only varsity veteran in the lineup. Some of the other players, competing in a conference battle for the first time, were a trifle unsteady in the playoffs."

The Parkway coach is anticipating a hard game for his team in the impending contest with Ames. White feels confident of his belief that the winning stride attained by the Bears in the Kansas game will be maintained with the team enjoying the encouraging support of its own fans.

**New Forewards Promising.**  
Earl Stanford and Frank Hutton, the new Parkway forwards, had fair to develop into as formidable a scoring combination as ever Jack Miner and Ollie Nels. The two new stars lost to the Bears by graduation last June. Stanford who has taken Miner's place at right forward is a brilliant forward. Hutton appears to be a great scoring prospect.

The team's main scoring punch is supplied, however, by Capt. Seago center. The speedy pivot man was an outstanding star in the three road games and his success in creating five field goals in the Kansas game was mainly responsible for the team's triumph. Ted Winkler played a sound back court game during the trip, and particularly in the Kansas contest in which he frequently intercepted Jayhawk passes to break up threatening plays in the vicinity of the Washington basket. Lorne Eckert, who plays a roving guard, also showed excellent promise and seems to fit in well with the Bears' man-to-man system of defense.

**Field House Ready.**  
While the exterior of the new field house has not been "dolled up" as it will be later the interior will be ready for Friday's games. The big structure, which will seat 8000 and already 4500 seats have been installed in the balcony. Bleacher seats on the playing floor will bring the temporary seating arrangements practically up to the 8000 maximum. If the advance sale indicates they will be needed.

## PROMOTER AND BOXERS ARRESTED FOR VIOLATING PRIZE FIGHT LAWS

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The District of Columbia law prohibiting prize fights was invoked again last night after a lapse of several months when police halted the main bout of a card at the National Sporting Club, arresting six fighters, the promoter and the referee.

The preliminary matches were permitted to go on and the main bout, between Joe Basara of Norfolk and Johnnie Gill of York, a middleweight, was in its second round when the arrests were made.

Frank Dane, the promoter who has experienced a number of similar titls with the District police over the boxing law, was released from the 12000 bond, while the referee, Patricia O'Connor, and the fighters were freed on \$500 bail.

Dane had requested the bouts as part of a smoker for club members, who paid admission to the belief that it did not violate the law, which bans fights for which admission is charged and in which the contestants are paid.

## SCORING PUNCH OF COACH DON WHITE'S WASHINGTON BEARS



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## Racing Results And Entries

At New Orleans.

Weather clear; track good.

By the Associated Press.

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# SUIT ON TRIAL SEEKING TO ESTABLISH CHILD'S PARENTAGE

Plumber Named by Young Woman as Father of Her Baby, Denies the Charge.

The suit of Miss Louise Lieber, 29 years old, 1825 Shields avenue, seeking to establish the parentage of her child, 10 months old, is on trial before Circuit Judge Calhoun. The suit is directed against Walter Hill, a plumber, who, it is alleged by the plaintiff, is the father. He denies the charge.

According to Miss Lieber's testimony she became acquainted with Hill in January, 1924, having been introduced to him by her brother, with whom she was acquainted. At the time of her first meeting with Hill she was a student at McKinley High School, she said. She stated that they went out together several times and she visited him at his place of business.

A letter written to Hill by the plaintiff a few months before the child was born was read in evidence. In it she said: "You have taught me to hate men. I hope my child does not. I will hate men the rest of my life."



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# \$500 VERDICT AGAINST WILLIAM YOUNGSTATE

Mrs. Joseph Bittner Had Put in Claim of \$3450 for Two Years' Service

A \$500 verdict was returned by a Probate Court jury today against the estate of the late William Young, former Chief of Police and later Police Commissioner, in the suit of Mrs. Joseph Bittner, 4620 South Grand boulevard, who claimed \$3450 for household services.

Mrs. Bittner, through her counsel, alleged that her services began shortly after the death of Col. Young's wife in September, 1923, and she continued at his home, 1724 Longfield boulevard, until his death, Sept. 1, last. She and her husband, who is a musician, lived there.

It was alleged that Young promised to reward Mrs. Bittner in his will, but when the document was filed it was found he had not mentioned her. He bequeathed his estate, valued at \$75,000, to his sisters, brothers, nieces and nephews, dividing the shares into 10 parts.

Over objection of Henry Kortjohn, attorney for the executors, Judge Holtkamp permitted Mrs. Bittner's husband to take the stand. The witness declared he was present when Col. Young went to the Bittner home and urged Mrs. Bittner, who had formerly worked for the Youngs, to keep house for him. "In my presence," said Bittner, "he agreed to pay all expenses and promised to take care of my wife at his death. He told me to come along, too. We agreed to his proposition and broke up our home, which we owned, and we remained at the Young home until the day after he died. My wife cooked for him and kept his home in order, looked after his laundry and nursed him part of the time, but she never got a cent for her work."

Kortjohn questioned Bittner regarding quality of the meals at the Young home. "They were good enough but I would not care to pay over \$10 a month for the board we got there," said the witness. He added that Col. Young "kept kicking about the size of the bills."

The witness explained that he did not take all of his meals at home and that he spent about \$2 to \$4 a week in restaurants. If any of his laundry got mixed up with Col. Young's so that the latter had to pay the bill, it was a mistake, Bittner said.

Executors Deny Agreement. As to privileges, Bittner said Young would not let him practice on a cornet around the house. "So I had to go to my mother's when I wanted to do it," he testified. Bittner admitted that the late police official had obtained two months' employment for him at \$100 a month with the Police Department and also had obtained for him a position in a motion picture theater orchestra.

The executors contended that Young made no agreement with Mrs. Bittner when he was to remember her in his will, and further, that he fully compensated both her and her husband for the services rendered him. They lived at the Young home without cost to them and were thereby enabled to rent the Grand boulevard home.

FUGITIVE WARRANT ISSUED FOR AVIATION LIEUTENANT

F. C. Nelson Fails to Appear for Hearing on Charge of Killing Wild Goose With His Plane.

A fugitive warrant has been issued by United States Commissioner Atkins for the arrest of Lieut. Fred C. Nelson, because of his failure to appear before a commissioner at Jefferson City, where he is charged with violation of the migratory bird act.

Lieut. Nelson, who is the Army Air Service instructor for the 17th Squadron of the Missouri National Guard, at the Lambert-St. Louis Flying Field, until Nov. 1 last, when he was transferred to Fort Riley, Kan. Last October a warrant was issued charging that while flying near Jefferson City, he drove his plane into a flock of Canadian geese, killing one, and that he landed and retrieved the goose.

FUNERAL OF BRAINARD RYAN, OF EISENSTADT CO., TOMORROW

The funeral of Brainard Ryan, 44 years old, secretary of the Eisenstadt Manufacturing Co., who died Monday from pneumonia, will be tomorrow from his residence, 1115 St. Charles road, to St. Ann's Church, Normandy. Interment will be in Calvary cemetery.

Mr. Ryan was identified with the wholesale jewelry industry for nearly 20 years. He joined the Eisenstadt company at the age of 14 and advanced from office boy to be one of the principal executives in the concern. He also became a large stockholder.

Two years ago he toured Latin America with the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lena Ryan, a son, Robert, two brothers, Joseph and Fred Ryan, and a sister, Miss Alice Ryan.

1927 Rotary Convention in Belgium.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The 1927 convention of Rotary International will be held in Ostend, Belgium, the board of directors has decided. Dates are to be fixed later. Four European municipalities sought the convention. The others were Rome, Nice and Copenhagen.

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# UNCHANGED TO HIGHER PRICES ON EXCHANGE

**ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE.**  
Jan. 13.—Unchanged to higher prices were the rule on the local market today. There were exceptions.

The afternoon trade was not heavy, but was featured by higher prices for Consolidated Lead and Missouri Portland Cement. A small amount of Johnson, Stephens & Shinkle sold at 24 points and price. Sheffield Steel and Polar Ware were unchanged. A limited amount of Hamilton-Brown sold on lower basis.

Announcement was made of declaration of dividend of 20 cents on common stock of Walke, payable to stockholders of record Jan. 28.

Missouri Portland sold higher in the morning trade, as did Consolidated Lead and Rice-Stick Common and International Shoe preferred. Walke common was unchanged, along with Sheffield Steel. Bass Sternberg & Cohen sold lower.

## Personal and Business Notes

Robert Lee Hodges has been elected a director of the National Bank of Commerce.

Thomas R. Akim, president of the Laclede Steel Co. and John M. Olive, vice president of the Western Cartridge Co. of Alton, have been elected directors of the First National Bank.

Gerald R. Lambert of the Lambert Pharmaceutical Co. has been elected a director of the State National Bank.

George Probst has been elected a director of the Cherokee National Bank.

Bruce Ramseyer has been elected an assistant president of the First National Bank.

## Earnings, Money, Silver

The St. Louis Clearing House Association reported earnings for Jan. 12, 1926, as follows: Clearing, \$2,000,000; interest, \$100,000; dividends, \$50,000; total, \$2,150,000. The report also shows a net profit of \$100,000 for the year ending Dec. 31, 1925.

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# ST. LOUIS STOCKS

**ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, Jan. 13.**—Total sales of stocks on the exchange today amounted to 1547 shares, compared with 2125 yesterday. Bond sales were \$1899, as compared with \$2000 yesterday. The following is a complete list of securities traded in on the exchange during the two sessions of today, dividend rates, sales, highest, lowest, closing prices and net changes being given. \*Increase, -Decrease, ... Unchanged.

SECURITY	AMOUNT	PRICE	NET	CLOSE	OPEN
First National Bank	100	100	0	100	100
State National Bank	100	100	0	100	100
American Trust	100	100	0	100	100
Missouri Pacific	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 2d Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 3d Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 4th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 5th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 6th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 7th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 8th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 9th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 10th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 11th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 12th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 13th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 14th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 15th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 16th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 17th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 18th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 19th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100
St. Louis & N. W. Ry. 20th Pfd.	100	100	0	100	100

## EXTRA DIVIDENDS ARE DECLARED

**STOCK DIVIDEND OF 900 PCT. BY CENTRAL STATES ELECTRIC**

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The Central States Electric Co. has declared a stock dividend of 900 percent on its common stock, payable Feb. 1 to stockholders of record Jan. 1.

The dividend is based on the company's earnings for the year ending Dec. 31, 1925, and is payable in the form of new shares of common stock.

The company's earnings for the year were \$1,000,000, and the dividend is payable at a rate of \$1.00 per share.

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# NEW YORK BONDS (COMPLETE)

**NEW YORK, Jan. 13.**—In the following table will be found a list of sales, highest, lowest and closing prices of bonds traded in on the New York Stock Exchange today, sales being in \$1000 lots (900 omitted).

Quotations on all United States Liberty Bonds are in dollars and thirty-seconds of a dollar, that is, for instance, a sale printed 99-24 means 99 and twenty-four thirty-seconds of a dollar, or not 99.24.

Total sales today were \$14,511,000, against \$11,577,000 yesterday. Total sales a week ago, \$14,510,000 a year ago, and \$14,250,000 two years ago.

From Jan. 1 to date sales were \$115,191,000, against \$100,182,000 a year ago and \$174,890,000 two years ago.

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# Steel Industry Situation.

**NEW YORK, Jan. 13.**—It has taken the steel industry about 10 business days of the new year to get the market in a fair start, and much of the activity in that time has been in speculative rather than in actual sales.

Speculation in some cases has been at its height, and in others it has been at its lowest. The steel industry is now in a position to begin its year's work with a fair amount of confidence.

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## "Purges" and "Physics" Bad for Old Folks

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## STATE DELAYS ACTION ON COUNTY ROAD ROUTE

Commission Instructs Legal  
Adviser to Confer With  
Court in Refund Dispute.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.  
JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 13.—The State Highway Commission yesterday deferred action on the controversy over the route of a belt highway to be built in St. Louis County, as a "refund road" for approximately \$260,000 expended by the county on four roads adopted as part of the State system, but instructed the commission's attorney, L. Newton Wylder, to confer with the legal adviser of the St. Louis County Court on the legal points involved.

The commission has taken the position it should designate the route and type of road to be built. The County Court asserts the road should be built as the court desires.

"We want to find some way to get started at once on the road," Chairman Theodore Gary said, "and have instructed our attorney to try to get together with the legal adviser of the County Court. But our position is that if we are to be responsible for the work, we want it to conform to the general plan and the specifications as to type that are carried out in the system elsewhere in the State."

The State road law provides that such "refund roads" must serve to connect State highways. It gives the Highway Commission authority to designate the routes and provides that it supervise the construction.

The northern part of the proposed belt highway is in dispute. Between St. Charles and Olive Street roads. The County Court wants the route to follow a winding course over existing roads, and passing through Maryland Heights, a small settlement. The commission wants to build a more direct route, about a mile shorter than this, eliminating Maryland Heights and grade crossings or costly bridges over the Creve Coeur trolley and Rock Island Railroad tracks.

**HOES DO NOT ALWAYS SQUEAL  
ON WAY TO MARKET, TESTIMONY**  
Despite "Expert's" Word, Driver of Truck That Struck Milk Wagon Is Fined \$150.

Grant Hood, 22 years old, a truck farmer of Hillsboro, Mo., was fined \$150 by Police Judge Roscan yesterday on a charge of careless driving. Hood's truck struck a milk wagon driven by John Galenier, 181 E. Center avenue, at Tennessee avenue and Miami street, Nov. 18. Hood testified that he was driving only 10 miles an hour and that the driver of the milk wagon was engaged in arranging his milk bottles, and not attending to his driving, when the accident occurred.

Hood and John Davis of Morse's Mill, Mo., were each bringing a truck load of hogs to St. Louis. Davis driving about 20 feet behind Hood. Davis testified that Hood sounded his horn, but the testimony was ruled out, on the ground that the squealing of hogs directly behind his car in his own truck would prevent him from hearing the signal. In an attempted objection, Davis was "qualified" as an expert on the "temperament" of hogs, claiming that not all hogs squeal when driven to market.

**BUTLER BROS. PLAN NEW  
AND LARGER BUILDING**  
Three Sites in Wholesale District Considered: Decision to Be Made by Friday.

Plans for a new and larger building for the St. Louis distributing house of Butler Bros., which now occupies a seven-story building at the northeast corner of Eighteenth and Olive streets, got under way yesterday with the signing of articles of association for the Butler Building Co.

Tom W. Bennett of the Bennett Mortgage Co., who is acting for Butler Bros., said today that plans were for a new building at least as large as the present, with provision for development to 1,000,000 square feet of floor space, 275,000 more than in the building now occupied. "Three sites in the wholesale district, between Market and Morgan and Thirteenth and Nineteenth streets, are under consideration," he said, with the final choice to be made Friday morning.

The lease of Butler Bros. on the building at Eighteenth and Olive streets will expire Dec. 31, 1927.

**New Inquiry of Ponzi Offers.**  
By the Associated Press.  
BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Attorney-General Benton said today he had ordered an investigation of Charles Ponzi's latest enterprise, the Charpon Land Syndicate of Jacksonville, Fla., which has opened a branch here. The syndicate advertises a probable profit of 200 per cent in 60 days in Florida real estate investments. Andrew A. Highlands of the State Public Utilities Commission, expressed the opinion that Coleonio Alvir, local agent for Ponzi, would be liable to prosecution under the "blue sky" law on the ground he is not a registered salesman of securities.

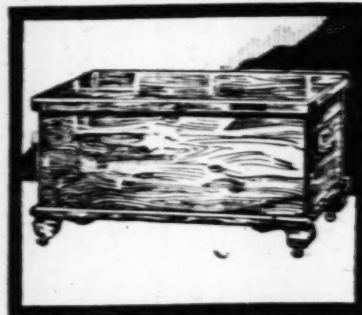
**Church to Provide Free Autos.**  
By the Associated Press.  
AURORA, Ill., Jan. 13.—The Aurora Congregational Church Board last night voted to provide automobiles for all persons who cannot get to Sunday services otherwise. The cars will be provided by members of the congregation, or hired.

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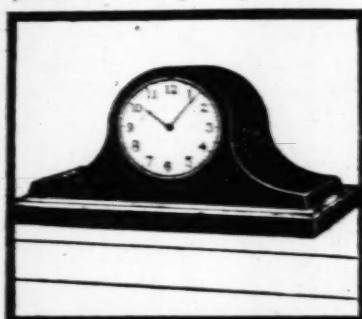
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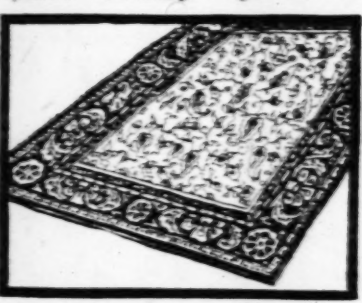
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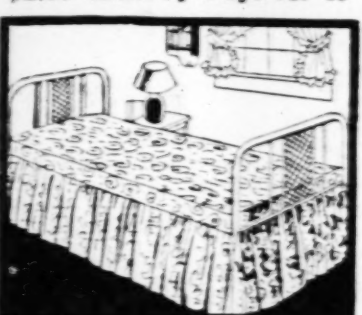
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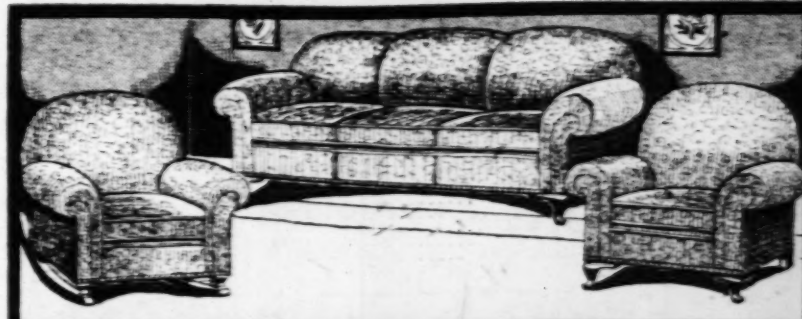
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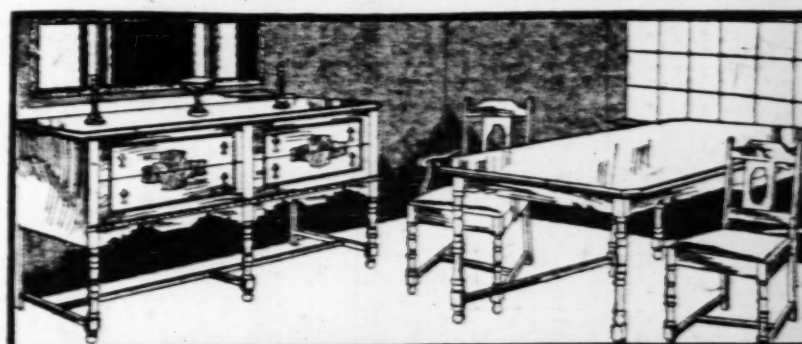


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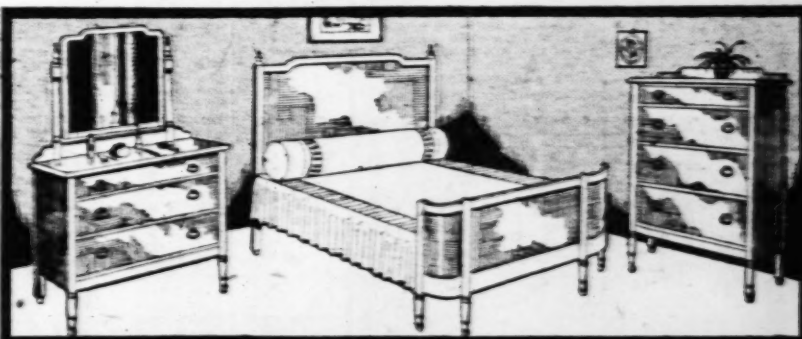
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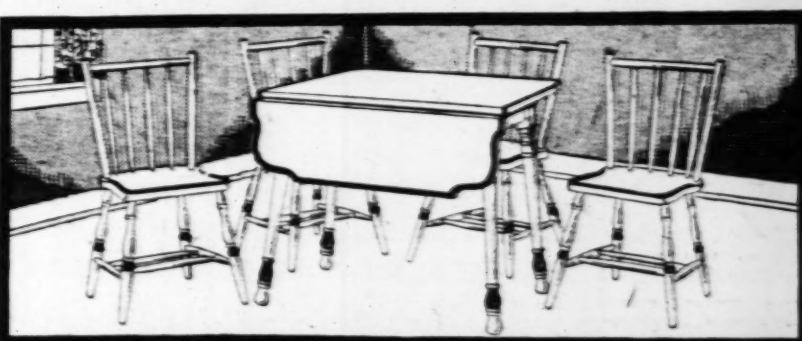
**\$185 9-Piece Dining Suite**  
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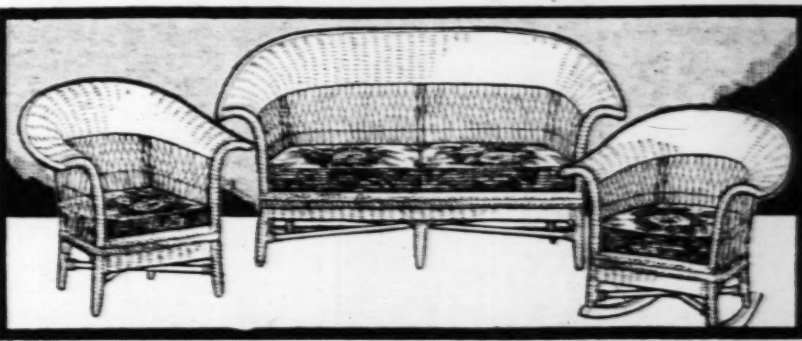
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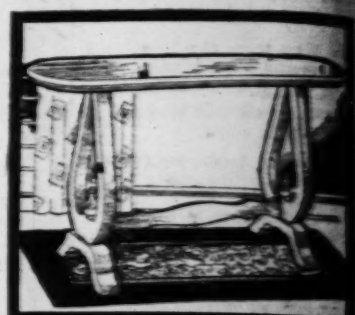
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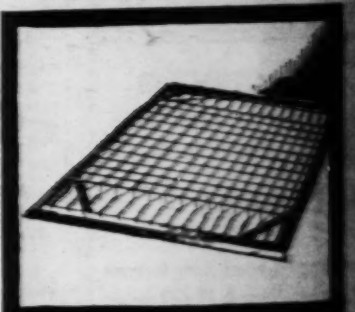
Artistic mahogany finish lends charm to this quaint Windsor rocker—a \$15 value.

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Members of the Mason-Spence expedition, which is heading for the jungles of Yucatan in an attempt to throw light upon Mayan civilization known to have existed six centuries before Christ. The party consists of: left to right: Frank White, Darien, Conn., newspaper editor and assistant to the party; "Outlook" Dr. Herbert J. Den, assistant curator of the body Museum, Harvard University; and Ludlow Ge, assistant curator of birds at the American Museum of Natural History, New York City.

Pretty Parisian have been elected of Paris. They crowned after the Year's festivities during the year 1925 to right, standing Liliane Clay, Millette Pelou, Millette Topin. Sitting: Alice Septons, Madeleine Delmaye, Madeleine Pelou.



THE ALUMINUM INQUIRY



Big figures in the aluminum investigation in Washington. From left to right are: Senator Walsh, who heads the investigation; Assistant Attorney-General Donovan and Attorney-General Sargent.

MINOR LEAGUE CHIEFS GREET LANDIS



Scores of minor league baseball chiefs greeted Judge and Mrs. Kenesaw Mountain Landis upon their arrival at the Los Angeles (Cal.) station, when the high commissioner of baseball arrived on Jan. 6 to attend the annual meeting of the minor leagues.

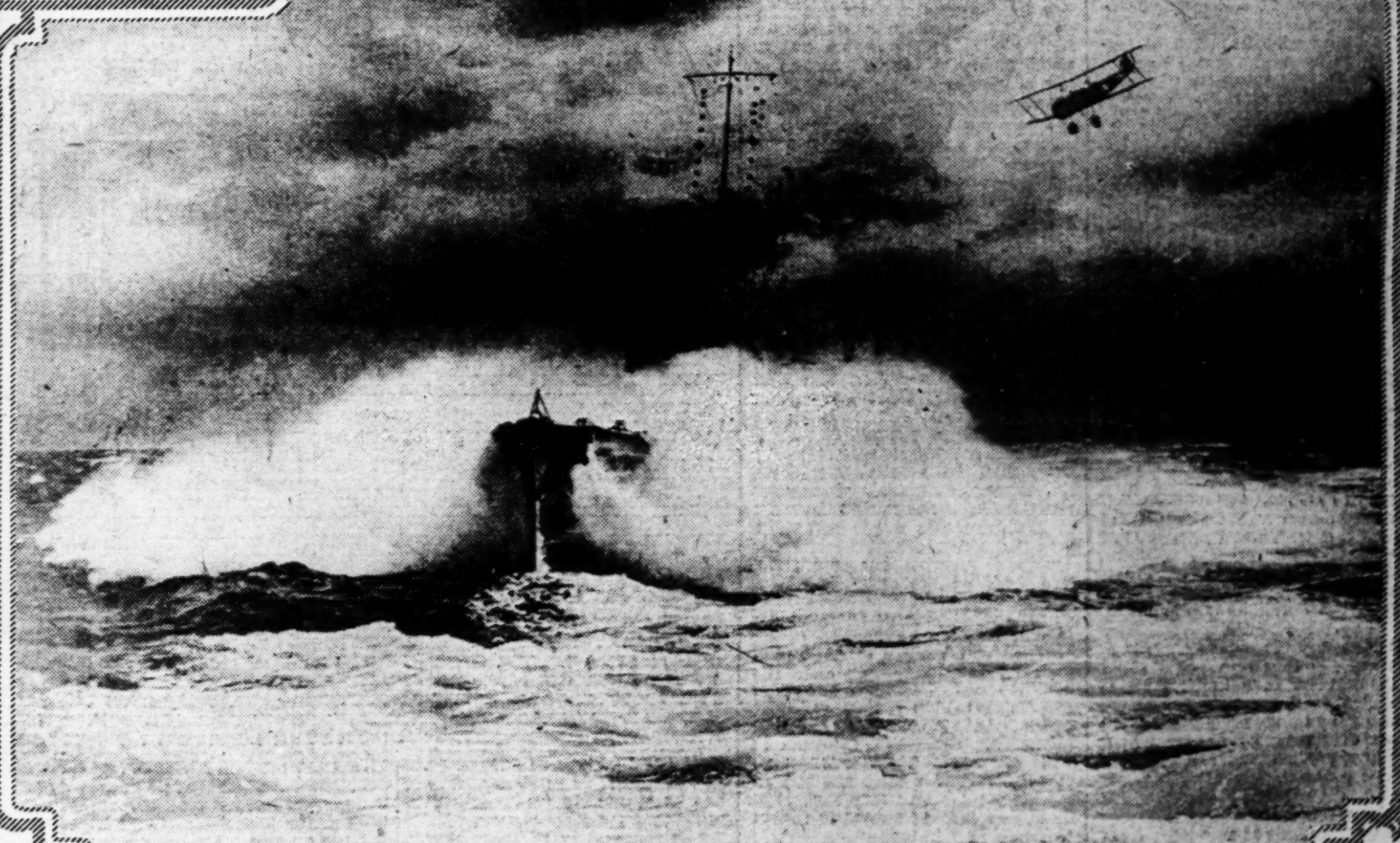
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WILL EXPLORE YUCATAN JUNGLES.



CITY TICKET OFFICE

A STORM  
ON THE  
NORTH SEA



Members of the Mason-Spinden expedition, which is heading for the jungles of Yucatan in an attempt to throw light upon the Mayan civilization known to have existed six centuries before Christ. The party consists of, left to right: Frank Whiting of Darien, Conn., newspaper man and assistant to the party; Gregory Mason, former editor of the "Outlook"; Dr. Herbert J. Spinden, assistant curator of the Peabody Museum, Harvard University; and Ludlow Griscom, assistant curator of birds at the American Museum of Natural History, New York City.

Pretty Parisian girls who have been elected queens of Paris. They were crowned after the New Year's festivities to reign during the year 1926. Left to right, standing: Mlle. Liliane Clay, Mlle. Paullette Pelou, Mlle. Odette Topin. Sitting: Mlle. Alice Septons, Mlle. Madeleine Delmaye and Mlle. Madeleine Pelou.

BEAUTY QUEENS OF PARIS



NOTED OPERA COMPOSER



Here is a photograph, made in the North Sea during heavy weather, showing one of the British patrol ships plowing through the giant waves.

Dr. Richard Strauss, Austrian king of operas, with his son, Dr. Franz Strauss, who acts as secretary to his father, in the new Strauss home in Vienna.



# That Year of Freedom

Mildred Barbour

POPULARITY.  
CHAPTER XVI.

NAN was very happy. The first sense of disappointment and dismay which had assailed her when she had discovered that the old, delightful world into which she had expected to step after her several years of absence, had vanished into the limbo of the past, was gone. She was exulting in her freedom and no longer lonely.

In Louis Brandon's studio and in the circle that revolved like satellites around him, she found a new and exciting existence. After a very short time she discovered that she herself had become the center and that Brandon pushed her forward, either because he liked her or because his association with her increased his own popularity and aggrandizement.

Certainly she was a figure of interest in that semibohemian crowd. Her frocks were of the latest and more expensive than was compatible with her status as a youthful music student. She had pretty jewelry and her husband's generous allowance permitted her to run a car of excellent make. Her apartment, which she had leased for the summer months, was smart and correct in every detail. Already she was serving tea there to a little circle of acquaintances, and on Sunday evenings she gave the supper she had dreamed of giving in the days when she had been forced to dine in formal state at the house of her mother-in-law.

She felt herself now to be a personality, an entity—no longer pretty figurehead in the house of Dane Larabee to be dragged from this tiresome function to that by her husband, her mother-in-law and Caroline Prescott. She went out when and where she pleased, never failing to find a thrill when she searched in her bag for her own latchkey.

Her popularity was going to her head like wine.

She had always been accustomed to admiration, but never to such fulsome and flattering adulation from a circle of people whom she felt to be real personalities, accomplished, artistic, some even interestingly eccentric, and all modernly unconventional.

Brandon's crowd scoffed at formality, at conscious social display. They called the followers of Mammion and Society puppets. They set their own standards, devised their own amusements. And Nan, unused to them, found them exciting and full of the promise of adventure.

She was particularly successful with the men of Brandon's set—mostly musicians and artists, though there was a sprinkling of men who looked like successful brokers or lawyers. These, however, never talked shop so it was impossible to place them. Conversation in the studio was mostly of art, literature, plays.

The girls were not so interesting. Mostly they were pupils, or former pupils of Brandon's, and all apparently attracted to or in love with their master. They fawned upon him, flattered him, cooed him, yielded to his slightest whim. Their attitude amused Nan, while it made her lip curl with scorn for their obviousness.

She too admired Brandon, but quite impersonally. It was impossible to deny that he was extremely charming and attractive, and was, by all means, talented. But she felt that he posed a great deal, that he encouraged all this feminine attention as a sop to his conceit, and that, perhaps, his scorn of the smart society which actually did seek him out (there was no doubt about that) was based not so much upon his dislike for it as upon the fact that he received more adulation and attention from the circle which congregated in his studio.

Of all the girls who came, Nan rather admired Mona Vail the most and would have liked to be friendly. But the other girl would not have it so. She took little part in the discussions that raged when the crowd met, but sat back watching the other girls with hard, inscrutable eyes. Now and then her red, full lip would curl when one of them showed her preference for Brandon too pointedly.

For Nan she had always a suspiciously watchful air and her words were sharpened with malice. Brandon said laughingly to Nan one day:

"It's always easy to tell in whom the studio you're sitting, even though one can't see you—it's the one completely surrounded by men."

Mona Vail, from her desk by the window remarked without turning her head to show that she had overheard:

"They never fail to make fools of themselves over each newcomer."

Nan flushed uncomfortably, but Brandon met her eyes squarely and she was full of confidence. His little understanding smile said plainly: "You understand that she's jealous?"

Nan felt an instant's pity for Mrs. Vail. She was playing a losing game and playing it desperately and unwisely.

FLATTERY VERSUS FAME.  
CHAPTER XVII.

NAN was having tea at Madame Polinska's.

It was her first visit to the Russian woman, and she was immensely surprised to find the latter living in such a large and handsome residence, considering that she was alone and that her stay in town was more or less temporary.

The house was charming, furnished richly and with impeccable taste. There were handsome rugs and beautiful brocades, exquisitely carved cabinet containing objects d'art and pictures which might well have graced an art gallery.

She might almost have believed that Madame Polinska, herself, had brought the furnishings from Russia—so foreign was the atmosphere created.

But it never occurred to her that this was the winter residence of a family so the outer fringe of society, who made a great splurge during the season, and spent the summers quietly at some farmhouse in the country to save up sufficient resources for a new attack.

Nan found herself more and more interested in Madame Polinska, who served her the finest Russian tea and offered her genuine Russian cigarettes with their long, gilded, paper holders. She explained to Nan further about her charity and brought out the promised photographs.

She talked fluently and well. Her voice was charmingly modulated and without trace of accent. In spite of her plumpness, she had extraordinarily small hands and pretty forearms, both of which she employed effectively, with gestures, as she talked. It was easy to see that she was accustomed to holding an audience.

"I have an engagement at 5," Madame Polinska told Nan, when they were finishing their tea. "I shall regret having to ask you to excuse me so early, but I am to speak before a small gathering at Mrs. Townsend's this afternoon. Do you know her? She is immensely wealthy and deeply interested in the fate of Russia, as are all her friends who will be there today. Of course, my association with her is purely social, but at times I have to take advantage of her patronage for my charity."

Nan rose to go and her hostess followed her to the door.

"Ah, you have your car? I wonder, my dear, if I could beg you to drive me to Mrs. Townsend's? You see, I cannot handle an automobile myself and to keep a chauffeur means so much expense when I want to devote my every possible penny to my beloved cause."

"I shall be only too happy," Nan assented.

When they were driving down the street, Madame Polinska remarked, with a sigh:

"A car is such a delightful convenience. I miss my motor greatly. I can assure you. They were the first luxury I deprived myself of, when the war came."

"I shall be glad to drive you often," Nan told her. "Transportation is so difficult and crowded in this city that a car is almost a necessity."

"You're a sweet, generous girl!" the older woman patted her arm approvingly. "And I shall take advantage of your offer, frequently. I can assure you."

When they arrived at the Townsend house, Nan swung open the door for Madame Polinska, herself remaining behind the wheel.

"No, no, my dear," the former protested. "You are to come in with me. Mrs. Townsend will be charmed to meet you. She is passionately interested in music. Besides, any friend of mine is always welcome in her home."

Nan accompanied her into a residence that was little more handsome than the home she had left not so many weeks before. In fact, the drawing room might have been her own, except that it was not so tastefully done as the cream and old gold room than Dane Larabee had prepared for his bride.

The hostess greeted Mme. Polinska cordially and welcomed Nan graciously.

"Miss Farraday is a new protegee of mine," Mme. Polinska explained. "A rare find, I assure you. She is on her way to becoming one of our great prima donnas."

"Indeed?" Mrs. Townsend's face expressed awakened interest.

Nan flushed with pleasure. She knew the Russian woman's words to be a mere social compliment. She was beginning to hear from many people, at Brandon's studio, that she had a great future before her. Brandon himself was the most encouraging of all.

Nan believed him and increased the number of her lessons.

She was confident that she could already discern, just over the edge of the horizon, the roseate fingers of fame, beckoning to her.

## Lady Diana and the Duchess of Rutland Selling Their Talents Because They Need the Money, They Frankly Tell Writer

By MARGUERITE MARTYN

THE popular idea of a duchess, one representative of a house proud and distinguished in the history of England back beyond Elizabethan times, is rather upset by contact with the Dowager Duchess of Rutland.

This lady is now in St. Louis with her daughter, Lady Diana. Manners, who plays the two leading roles in "The Miracle."

You have only to read in Burke's Peerage of how many noted figures the Rutland line has produced. The family seat still is Haddon Hall. The present generation is directly descended from the famous Dorothy Vernon, but the Duchess supplies an anti-climax to the Charles Major romance by telling us that while Dorothy lived happily ever afterward she also had 13 children, or 15, for all she knows. As I was saying, this Duchess provides a number of anti-climaxes.

She comes of a line of Scottish and Irish ancestry equally as proud and exalted as that of her husband. Yet she wears a straw hat of a style of two or three seasons ago, a rusty black suit, a string of artificial pearls and a fur cape that a St. Louis shopkeeper's wife might think suitable to her station in life, and then, again, because of its worn edges and creases, might not. She wears a somewhat more elaborate costume at the many evening functions to which she is being besought, but she confided to a guest at one that her reason for wearing long trailing skirts was in order that she might slip off her shoes when she got tired, and rest her feet. Not that the Duchess of Rutland is a shabby and marionette figure, in spite of her simple dress. She retains many of



LADY DIANA MANNERS  
—Sketch by Her Mother.



THE DOWAGER DUCHESS OF RUTLAND

the beautiful features of face, form and especially of carriage, that she has passed on to three daughters celebrated for their beauty.

She attends every performance of "The Miracle," not merely as chaperon to her daughter, but rather, from my experience with her, as a sort of super spectator.

Talks of the Manners. Meeting by chance in the manager's office, she went herself to the ticket window, demanding a seat for me in the second row, so that I shouldn't miss the expression of the faces in the pantomime.

Then sat herself just in front, explaining any obscure points in the procedure of the drama and private characters of some of the performers. That man, among the priests was once a General in the Czar's army. This little Russian dancer was interpolating some steps of the Charleston. That pretty chorus girl was one of her favorites and had posed for her drawings. Morris West desired only the women actors played up in the press notices, though in her opinion many of the men were more worthy of praise.

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To Be Continued.

Matching Hose.

Gloves and stockings are the two toilet accessories which fashion now demands must match perfectly. This has turned buyers toward the darker brown shades. In some cases, the matching shade is confined to the facings or turned-back cuffs of the gloves.

face white paper and a hard lead pencil. Her line and technique are unflinching. She never craves. Yet her drawings are not hard, are quite spirited, and color and atmosphere are added to by washes and sometimes by mounting beneath a layer of tracing paper.

One peculiar habit she has is of drawing first the eye of a subject and measuring all other points from that. This is contrary to the way art schools teach you to block in your large masses first. She is self-taught. This was at the advice of Burne-Jones. Watts and other great masters to whom her first attempts were shown and who probably perceived in her native gift the Grecian or pre-Raphaelite spirit which they were expounding.

Her mother was her preceptor inasmuch as she taught her to observe beauties in small bits as they walked through their parks, where others would have seen only the panorama. She told of how the principal reasonings in her family as she had been growing up had been music, drawing and writing, directed by sympathetic parents.

Her mother was not an artist in any practical sense but was an exacting director.

"She was fanatical about perfection," said the Duchess. "I was not permitted to play Beethoven, but was required to play simpler exercises through three times perfectly before I was allowed to leave my music lessons; to write a letter that was perfect before it could be posted and to finish a drawing before it was abandoned."

The same methods, though with greater leniency, the Duchess has pursued with her children.

"I took them abroad for three weeks every year," to Florence, Venice, Rome, in order to instill in them early the appreciation of beauty and art. Those were precious trips in which we made the

about her art, that is certain, and her drawings, although they are not carried very far, being the merest outlines of her subjects with the palest washes of color, are to be regarded seriously for the likeness and character of her models instantly caught, accuracy in construction, sureness and cleanness of line, consistency of tone and delicacy and decorativeness of style.

She does not do much modeling, nor make any attempt at actual values and depth of color, because, she says, with the many distractions of rearing and personally training her large family and the other duties of her position, she has not had the time that would be required for oil painting. A great deal of time, however, must have been given to bringing her present method to its state of perfection and finish within the limits of its medium. She employs a hard sur-

face white paper and a hard lead pencil. Her line and technique are unflinching. She never craves. Yet her drawings are not hard, are quite spirited, and color and atmosphere are added to by washes and sometimes by mounting beneath a layer of tracing paper.

One peculiar habit she has is of drawing first the eye of a subject and measuring all other points from that. This is contrary to the way art schools teach you to block in your large masses first. She is self-taught. This was at the advice of Burne-Jones. Watts and other great masters to whom her first attempts were shown and who probably perceived in her native gift the Grecian or pre-Raphaelite spirit which they were expounding.

Her mother was her preceptor inasmuch as she taught her to observe beauties in small bits as they walked through their parks, where others would have seen only the panorama. She told of how the principal reasonings in her family as she had been growing up had been music, drawing and writing, directed by sympathetic parents.

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—For—  
SUCCESS IN

By NELLIE E. C.

## Don't Let Money

be careless often equals being stingy. Uncollected money is money thrown away.

If you have no liking nor aptitude for business, do not work a year for a sum that you will have to spend in a year.

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LOST 43 POUNDS IN 7 WEEKS. French Discovery

Out Wonders. Simple, Easy Way is Explained to You







# The Man on the Sandbox



**THE DANCING GIRL**  
CONSIDER them, the dancing girl.  
So full of vim and pep:  
When in the gay and giddy whirl,  
She always minds her step.  
Unlike the lilies of the field,  
She toils as well as plays;  
With dash and fervor unconcealed  
Her way in life she wins.  
  
What ho! the tired business man,  
And those that have retired  
To listen to the pipes of Pan.  
By her should be inspired.  
With wardrobe that is mostly  
hose.  
She fareth far afield.  
And, finds by keeping on her toes  
She keeps herself well healed.  
  
**PERISH THE THOUGHT.**  
Sir Hugh Percy Allen of the  
Royal College of Music says that  
there should be a law compelling  
everybody to sing. On the con-  
trary, we feel that certain persons  
should be compelled by law to re-  
frain from singing.  
  
Anybody who can't sing and  
won't sing should be given a medal  
for declining to inflict the com-  
munity with an outburst of sour  
symphony.  
  
Probably Sir Hugh thinks that  
by compelling everybody to sing  
he will discover the guy who has  
the least chord hidden up his sleeve.  
  
Some people sing by ear and  
some by note, but the singing by  
law will never unearth any more  
ingenious Caruso's.  
  
Law or no law, you can't make  
fine as it is cracked up to be.

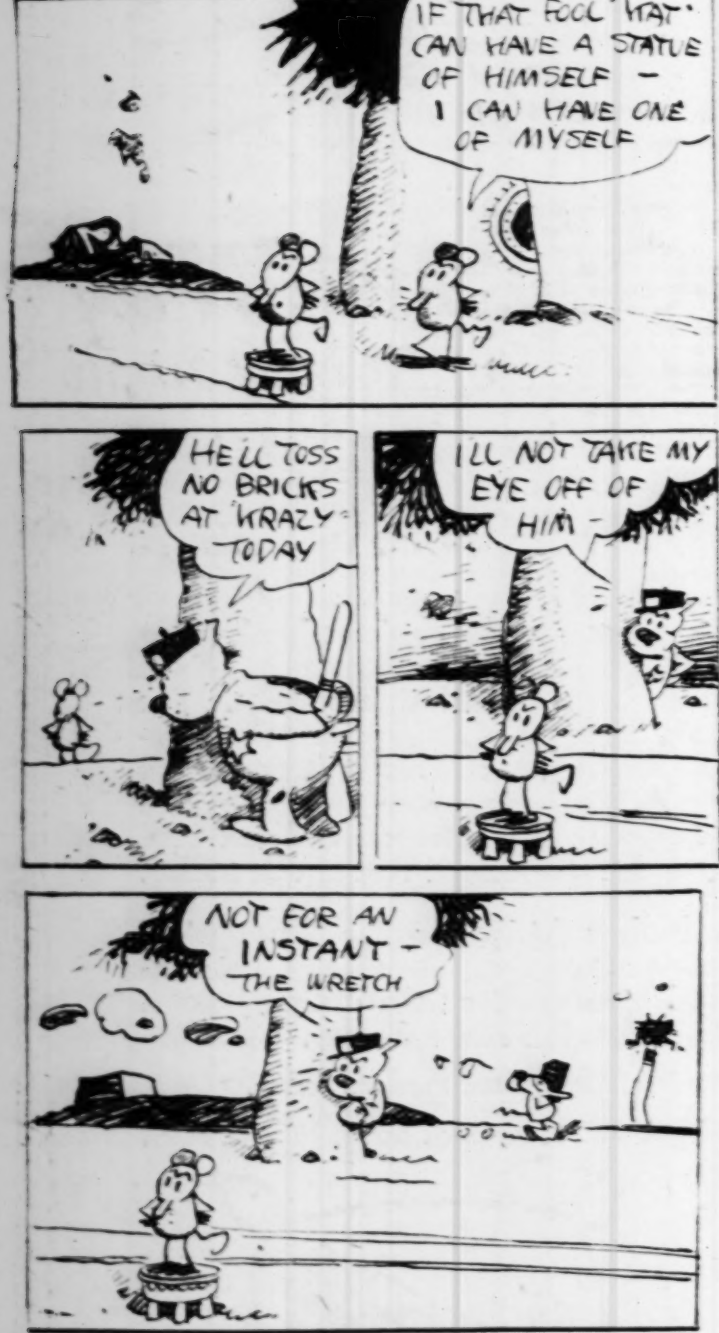
## THE CHARLESTON IS A FIRST COUSIN TO AN EARTHQUAKE—By RUBE GOLDBERG



## MUTT AND JEFF—MUTT STARTS A ROMANCE—By BUD FISHER



## KRAZY KAT—By HERRIMAN



## BRINGING UP FATHER—By GEORGE McMANUS



## THE LITTLE SCORPIONS' CLUB—By FONTAINE FOX



## JUDGE RUMMY



## ARBITRATION BY LAWYERS TO KEEP DOCKETS CLEAR

Attorneys Form Organiza-  
tion to Settle Differences  
for Clients, With Their  
Agreement.

## PLAN TO ACT UNDER 90-YEAR-OLD LAW

Provision for Payment of  
\$2.50 a Day, but Parties  
to Case May Arrange for  
Higher Compensation.

Formed to reduce congestion in  
the civil courts, to avoid delay and  
technicality, and to decrease the  
expense of litigation, the Arbitra-  
tion Society of Missouri is ready to  
do business in St. Louis. It hopes  
to spread its activities to Kansas  
City and then throughout the  
State.  
  
There is nothing new about the  
principle of arbitration in Missouri,  
which the society will follow. The  
statutes include a chapter on arbi-  
tration which is 90 years old, and  
which has been invoked occasion-  
ally. The new thing is the organized  
society, offering a group of  
standing and able, who will act  
when called upon under detailed  
rules supplementing the statutory  
provisions.  
  
With organization just complet-  
ed, the society is awaiting its first  
case. Lawyers representing clients  
who agree to arbitrate their civil  
differences may apply to the sec-  
retary-treasurer, Percy Werner, in  
the Rialto Building, to have their  
cases heard. Then they may select  
one arbitrator or more, as  
they choose, from among the  
group.

**Attorney in Association.**  
St. Louis attorneys who have  
agreed already to serve as arbi-  
trators include Charles Claffin Al-  
len, Thomas L. Anderson, Gladys  
B. Arnold, Byron F. Babbitt, Fran-  
cis M. Currie, Dwight D. Currie, E.  
G. Curtis, J. Hugo Grimm, J. L.  
Hornaby, Richard A. Jones, Wil-  
liam T. Jones, Samuel B. Mc-  
Pherson, Thomas S. McPherson,  
O'Neill Ryan, Moses N. Sala, Guy  
A. Thompson, Percy Werner and  
Charles B. Williams.

Allen, Anderson, Arnold, Grimm,  
William T. Jones, Ryan and Sala  
have served on the Circuit bench.  
Services of the arbitrators will not  
be gratis, but fees will be sub-  
ject to agreement between contend-  
ing parties. The law provides that  
arbitrators shall receive \$2.50 per  
day for their services, unless oth-  
erwise agreed upon, but that fig-  
ure was set in 1933 and it was  
thought then that laymen chiefly  
would serve.

**Arbitrators May Issue Subpoenas.**  
A form of agreement to submit  
to arbitration is being prepared.  
This will bring an issue before the  
arbitrator as a voluntary, mutual  
action, in contrast to the ex parte  
allegations of petition and answer  
when a suit is filed in court. Any  
desired arrangement for selecting  
arbitrators may be followed; one  
can be chosen by the parties and  
allowed to pick laymen to assist  
him, for instance, or two may be  
chosen and allowed to pick a third.

All private differences may be  
settled in this way, except those  
like marital relations, where the  
community or State is involved.  
Commercial matters, damages, in-  
surance, slander and breaches of con-  
tracts may be submitted. Should  
one party to an arbitrator's award  
fail to abide by it, the other may  
have a court judgment entered  
simply by recording the award in  
court. Awards may be taken to  
court on appeal. Arbitrators may  
issue subpoenas, administer oaths  
and punish contempt. Many busi-  
ness contracts now provide for arbi-  
tration.

Privacy is assured, if desired, as  
the rule is that hearings shall be  
private unless both parties agree  
otherwise. The great congestion of  
court dockets was the chief reason  
for forming this society, but the  
cheapness and simplicity of arbi-  
tration were factors also. The so-  
ciety is affiliated with the Arbitra-  
tion Society of America, which is  
operating in New York and is han-  
dling about 500 cases a year.

**Room Offered for Court.**  
The Merchants' Exchange will  
allow use of its directors' room as  
an arbitration court when desired,  
but most cases will be handled in  
the arbitrators' own offices. The  
society has not required a large  
fund for organization or operation.  
The idea was approved years ago  
by the St. Louis and Kansas City  
law associations, and a group of St.  
Louis lawyers among the officers  
look up the movement recently.  
Dwight D. Currie, former presi-  
dent of the St. Louis Bar Associa-  
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